# '69 SIGNET

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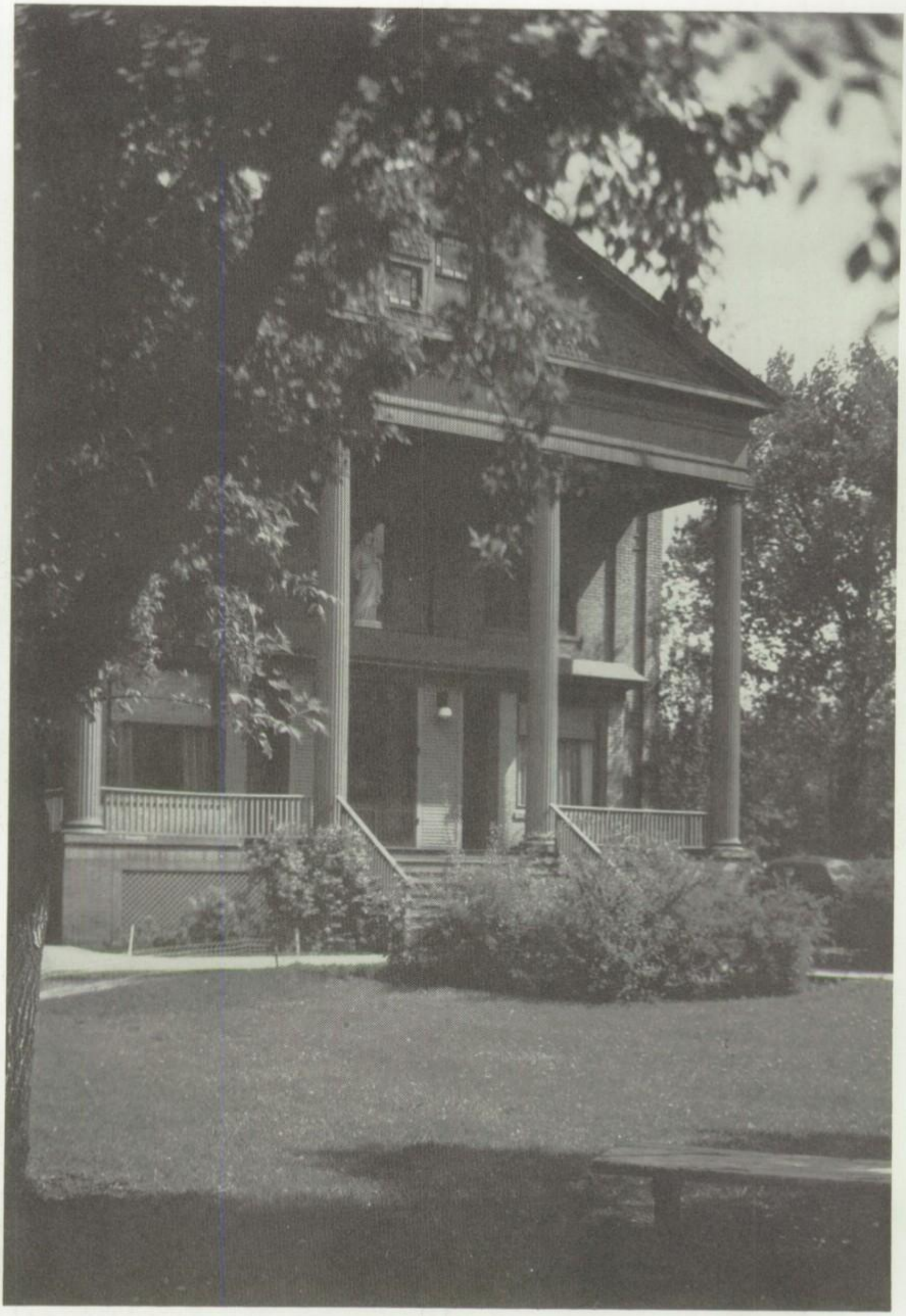
# Signet

## 1919 — 1969

*St. James High School*

*Grand Forks, North Dakota*

*Watch us go out in a blaze of glory*



# *Fifty years at St. James High*

*The year was 1918. It was a year to remember as the Academy of St. James under the direction of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondolet opened its doors for the first time then to an enrollment of 50 students. A few years later, in 1920, the first graduating class of seven students received their diplomas. Over the years the enrollment grew until it became apparent in the Forties that a new building was needed. With the support of the Catholics of the city the building was completed in 1955, and the students of St. James had new facilities, including their own gym.*

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*Many people have contributed to making St. James a number one school. The teachers and administrators have helped to develop a curriculum that rates a number one accreditation by the North Central Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges. The coaches and members of the Athletic Association have worked diligently to form an athletic program that has produced many victories for the Royals. To these people and to all the students and parents who have ever been a part of St. James we wish to dedicate this last issue of the Signet.*

*Hail to Thee, Academy.*

*To thee we will be so true.*

*We will pledge our love and loyalty*

*In all we say and do.*

*We salute you, ASJ.*

*It's for you we fight, it's you*
*we love.*

*'Neath your colors royal purple and*
*purest white*

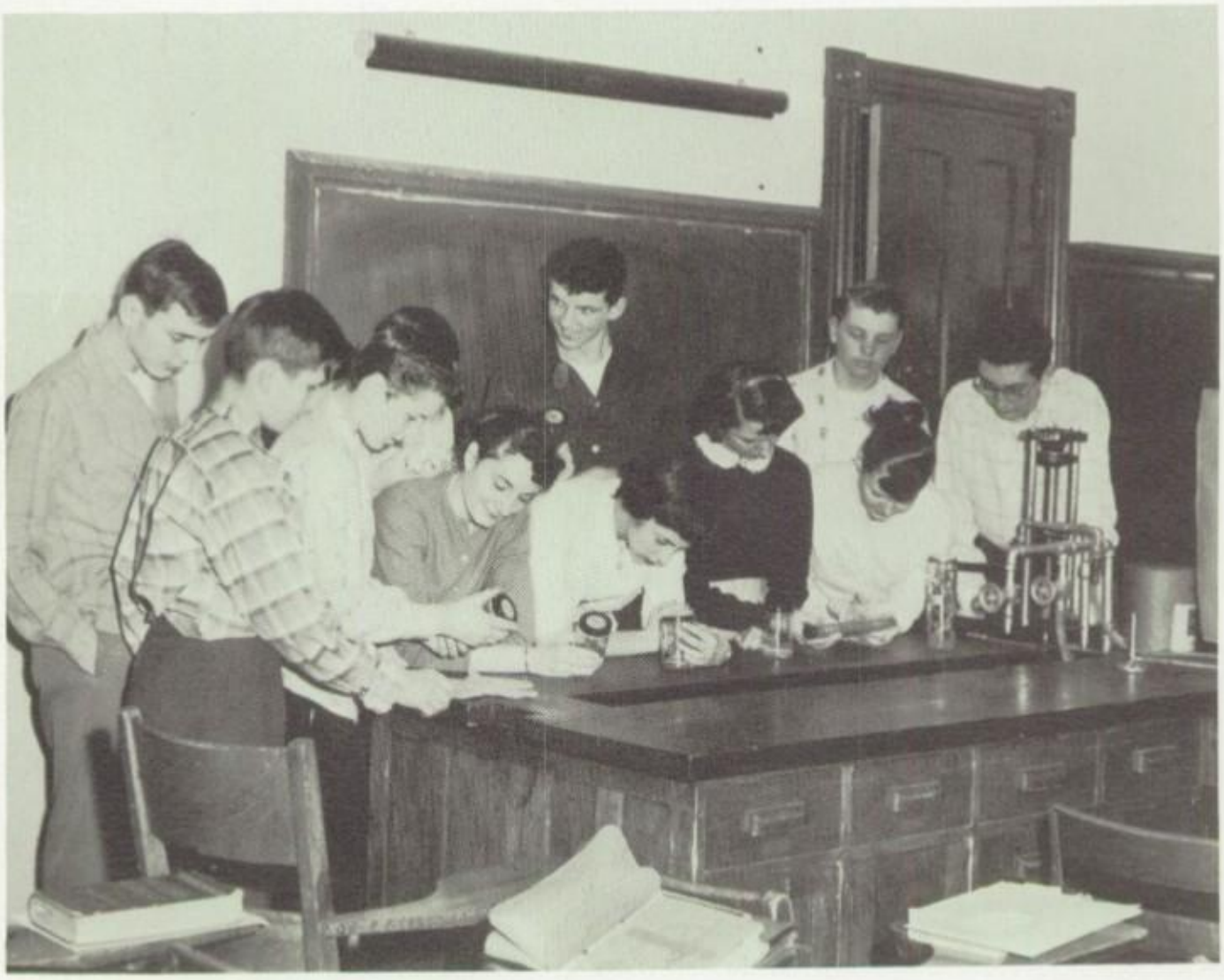
*We go forward to what is right.*

*Hail to thee, all hail, St. James.*

*Our Patron dear, it's you we love.*

*Raised in song, with hearts sincere,*
*full of cheer,*

*Our voices loud, strong and clear.*



*The year is 1969. Things have certainly changed since the early days of St. James. 396 students were enrolled and 95 seniors graduated this year. The gym, in almost constant use since it was built, was the scene of many victories and few defeats. But one thing hasn't changed. Once again we needed a new building. There was not the support this time and the decision was made to close St. James. In desperation we made last minute attempts to save our school but our efforts proved fruitless. The shock wore off and we united and strove to make the fiftieth year of St. James High School truly a year to remember.*

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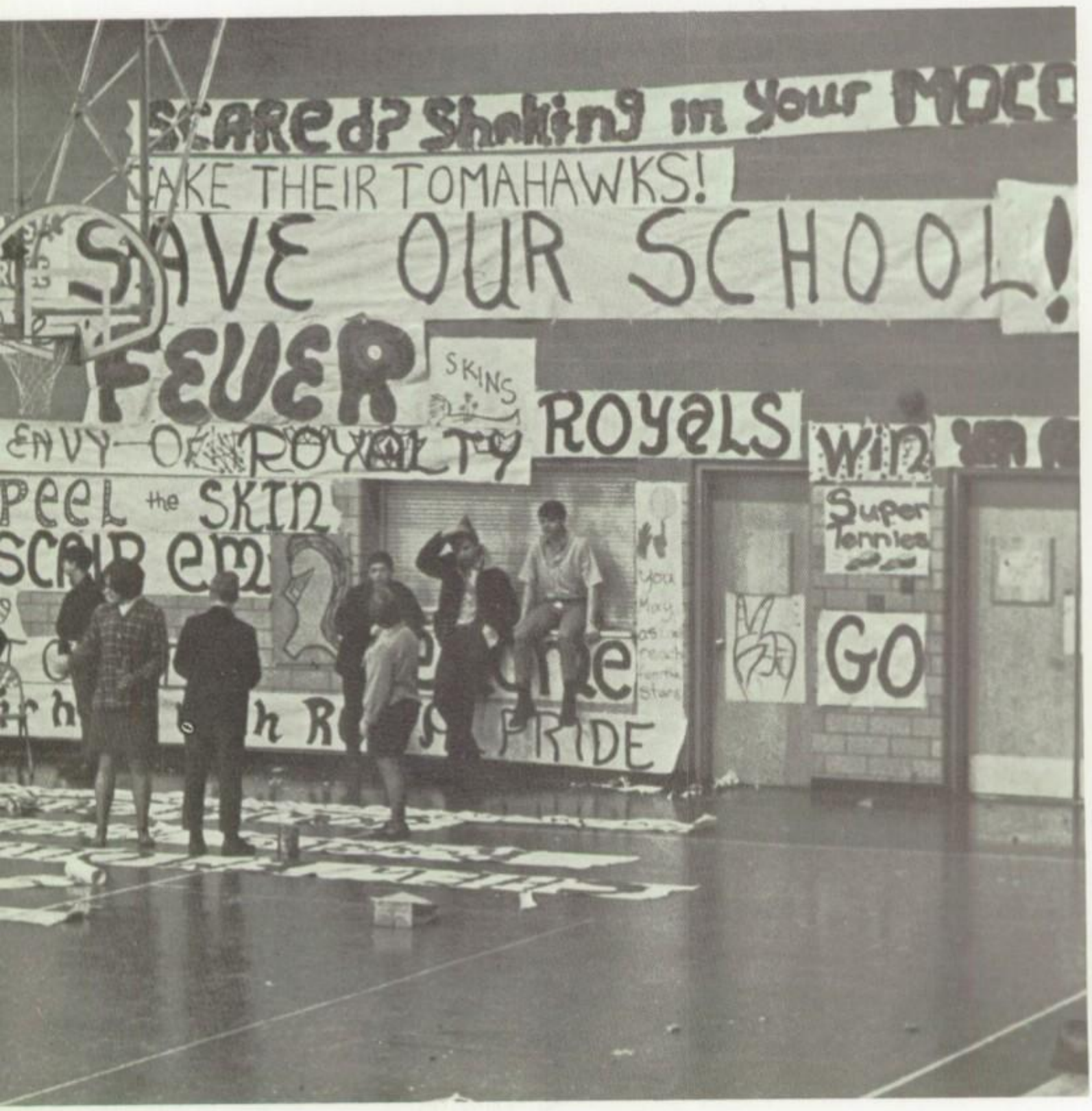
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PRIDE

*Fight on you Royals,*

*We are for you,*

*Carry your colors,*

*We'll see you through.*

*Fight, fight, fight, for SJH!*

*Oh' we've got a team*
*that's on it's way!*

*Fighting Royals always be true,*

*Your Royal Pride will see you through.*

*Fight, fight, fight,*

*For SJH will always be a part of you.*

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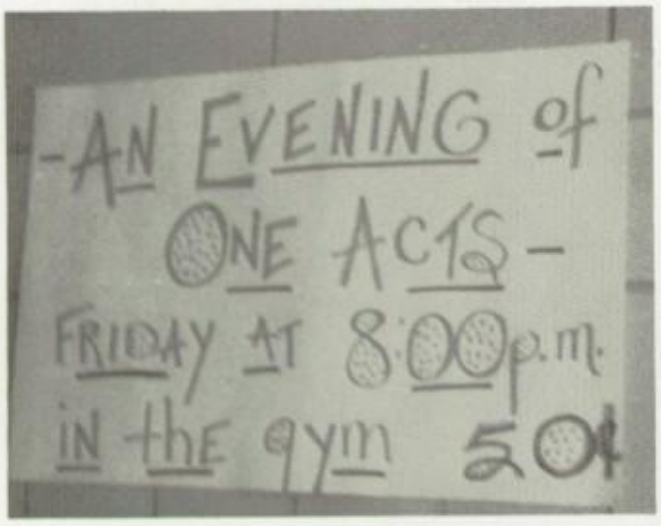
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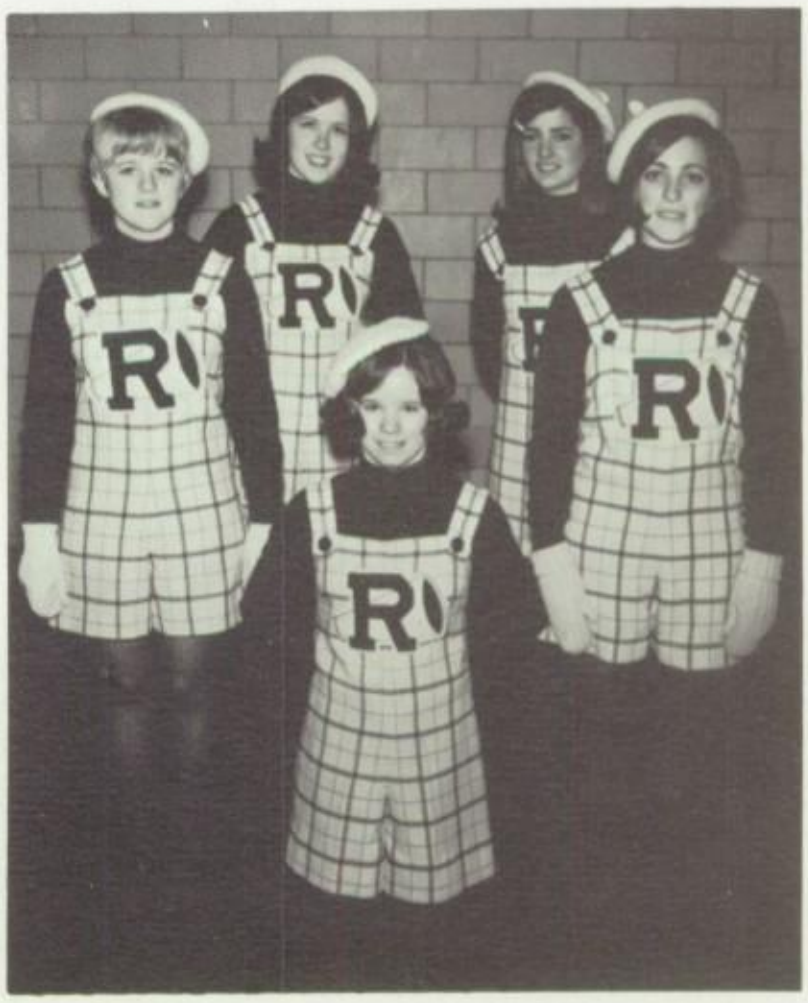

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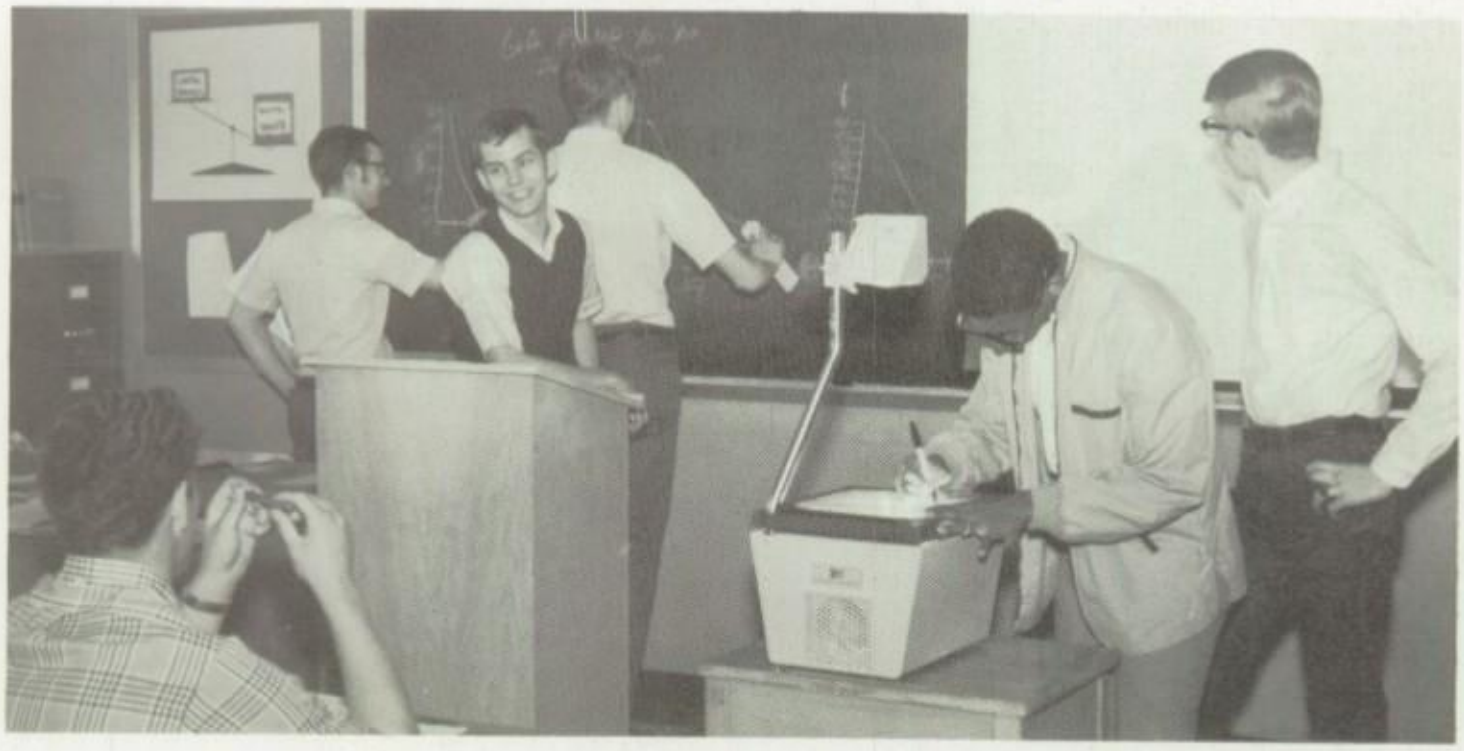

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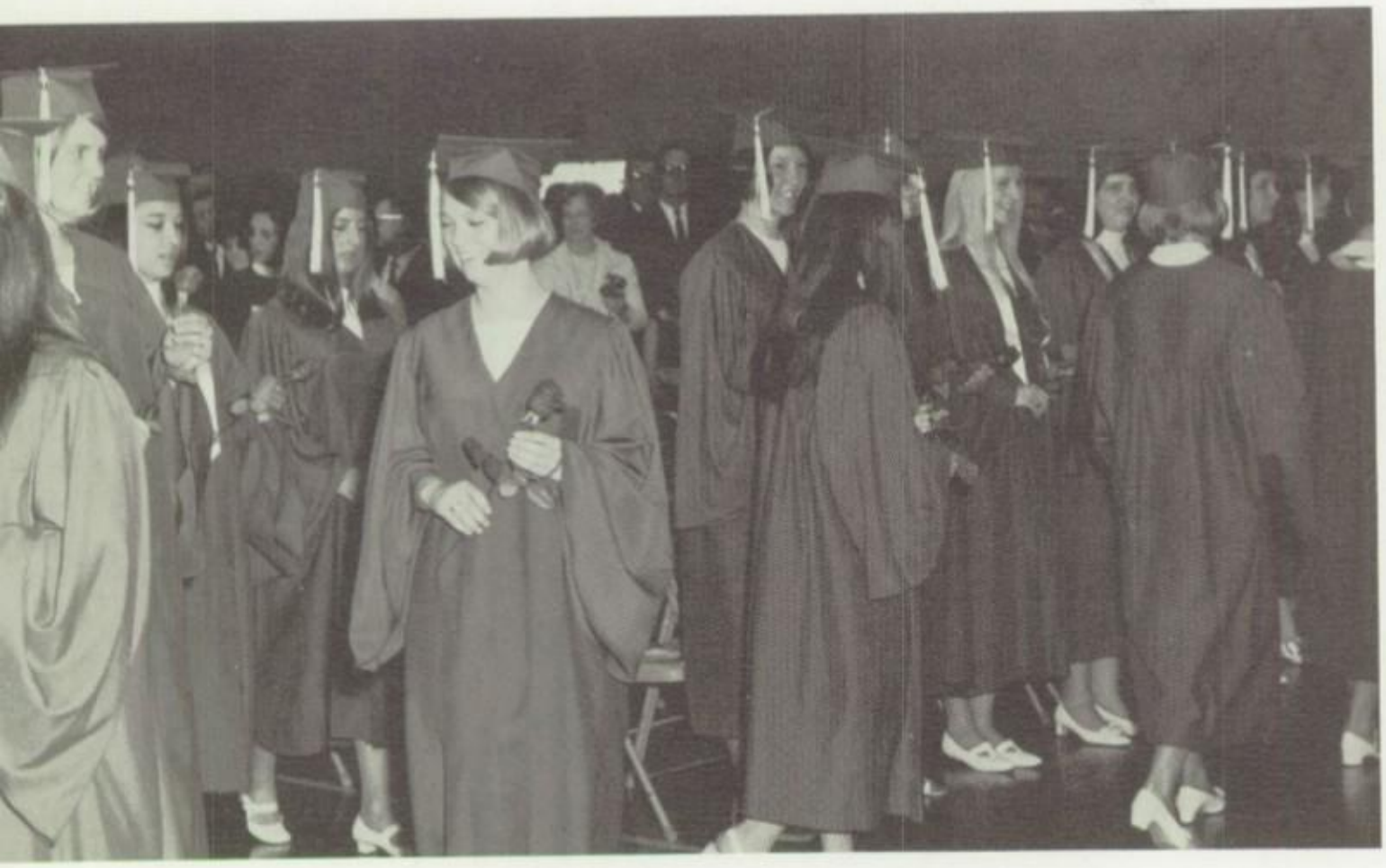
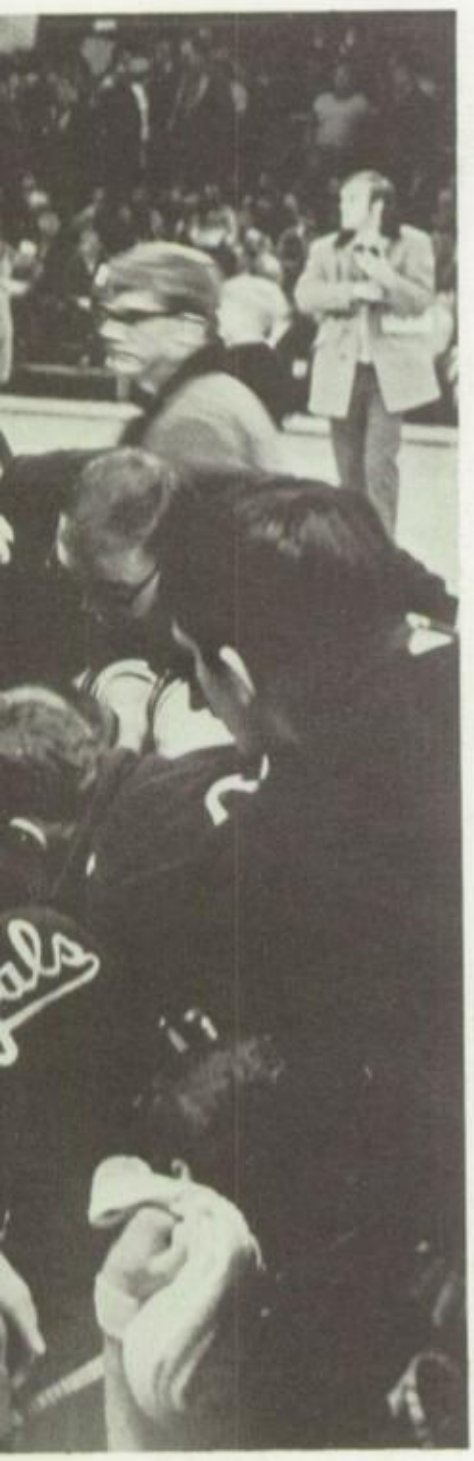
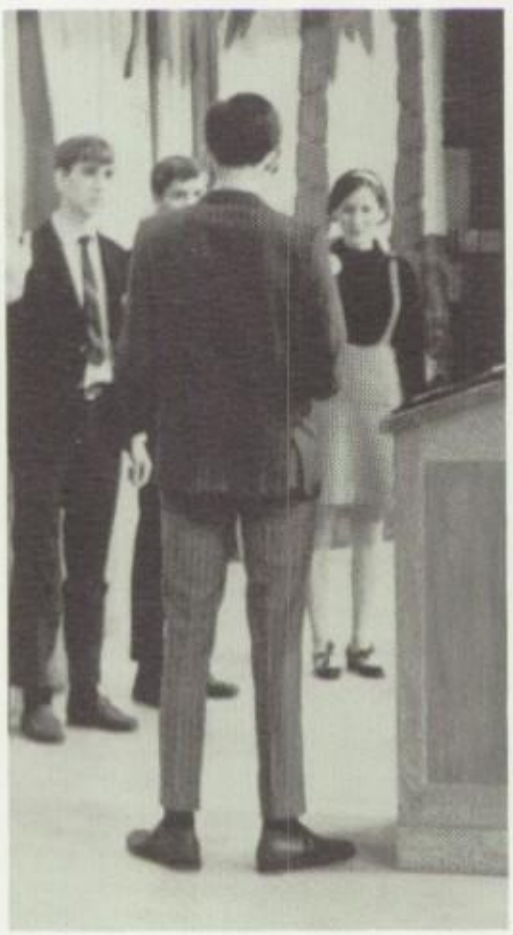




*St. James was more than a place to go to school. It was an idea — Royal pride, desire, and spirit all put together under one roof. On the outside, SJH was our building, our classes, our victories on the scoreboard. On the inside, where we knew it counted the most, we had our determination and pride. So with the external signs of St. James gone, we remember our school and the attitude left with us: "You can take our school, but never our pride."*

# Things We Have Done

ROYAL PRIDE



# Homecoming Celebrates 50TH Year

Homecoming this year took on a golden glow as students, faculty, and alumni celebrated the 50th anniversary of St. James. A pep rally Thursday night, October 3, started festivities as the senior men terrorized freshman brothers with potato chips. Senior class president, Jerry Miller, then announced Homecoming Royalty: Kathy Swangler, Leigh Bohlman, and Michelle Bachellor. Friday night brought defeat on the football field as Fargo North won 30-7. Spirit was rekindled for the evening of October 5 as Royals danced to the music of the Backstreet Journal.

In her moment of splendor Kathy Swangler is crowned Homecoming Queen of 1968 by Tri-captain of the football team, Phil Meyer.

Friends of Kathy Swangler squeal delightfully as she is announced the 1968 Homecoming Queen.

Royals, past and present, dance to the music of the Back Street Journal in the highlight of 1968 Homecoming.

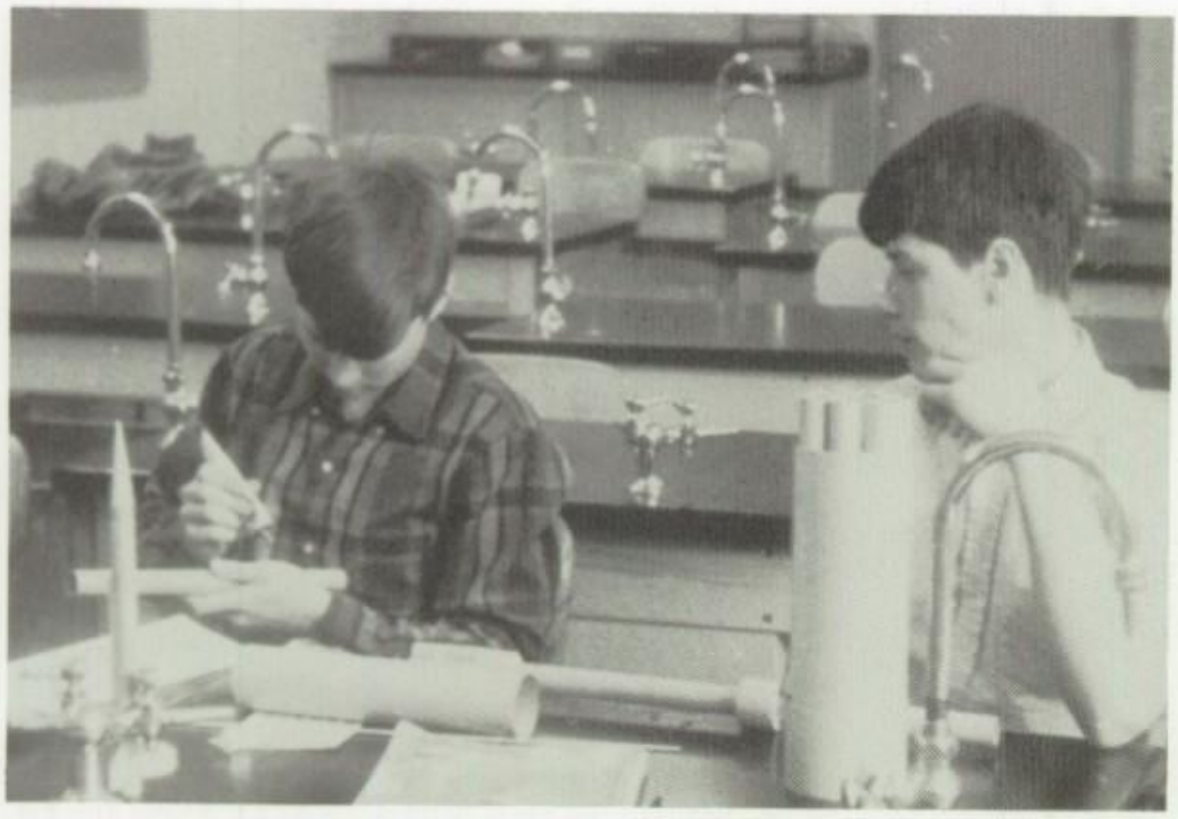
Seniors Kevin Kilgore and George Whalen help freshman Tim Kilgore walk over some "broken glass" (potato chips) during freshman initiation.

The Royals gain some yardage in the Homecoming game played against the Fargo North Spartans.

Mitch Bachellor is startled but happy at learning she's been chosen Sophomore attendant at Homecoming '68.

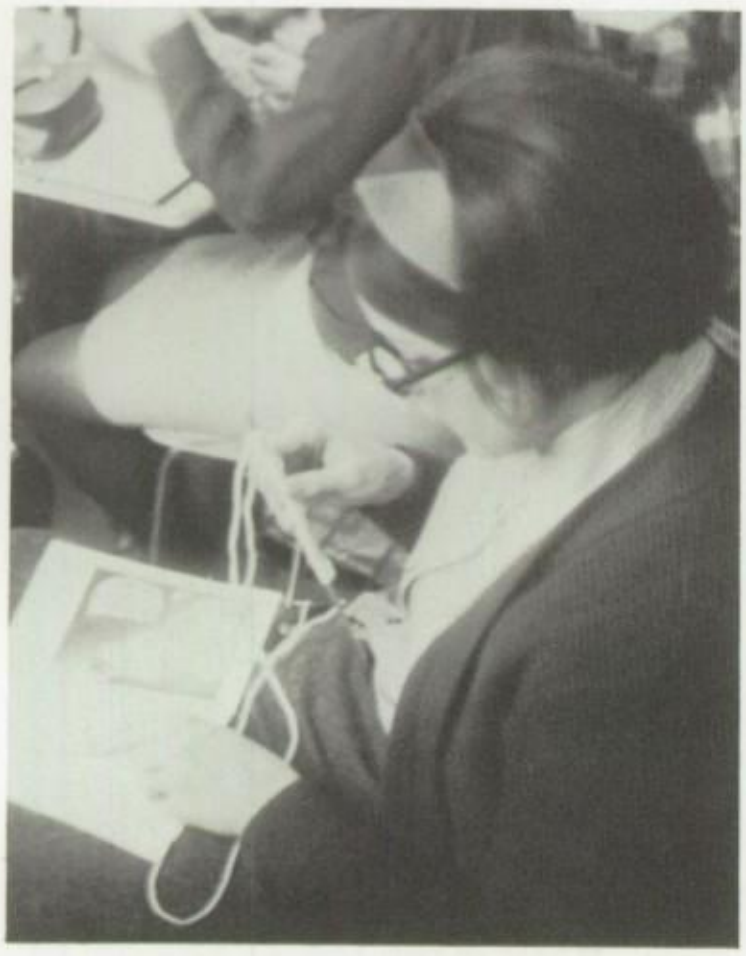
Homecoming queen, Kathy Swangler, reigns with her court of royalty, Jerry Miller, Leigh Bohlman, Mike Buckley, Phil Meyer, Michelle Bachellor and Mike Lundby.

# Creativity Week Sparks Enthusiasm

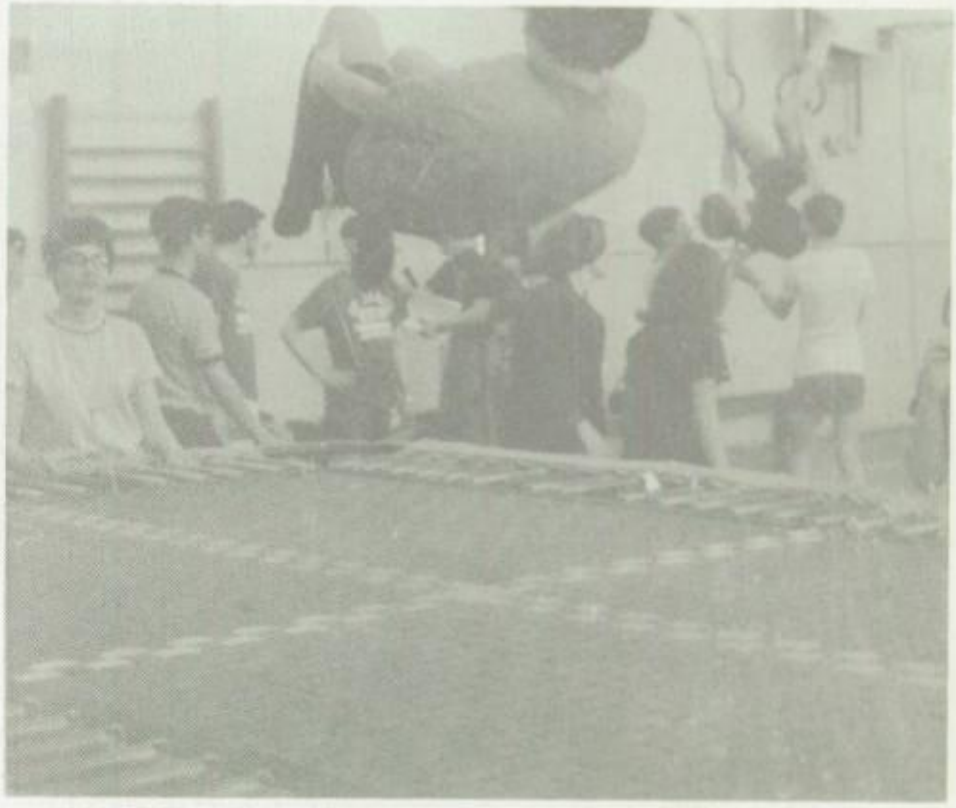


With scientific precision, Dan Whalen and Fran Phelps build a rocket during Creativity Week.

Imagine taking courses that you were interested in and that required no homework. That's exactly what St. James students did Creativity Week, March 24-28. Some courses offered included swimming, auto mechanics, stock market, and French cooking. Many of these classes were conducted outside of school and many others participated in field trips. At the end of the week students agreed that Creativity Week not only cured their spring fever, but also proved to be a very enriching and valuable experience.

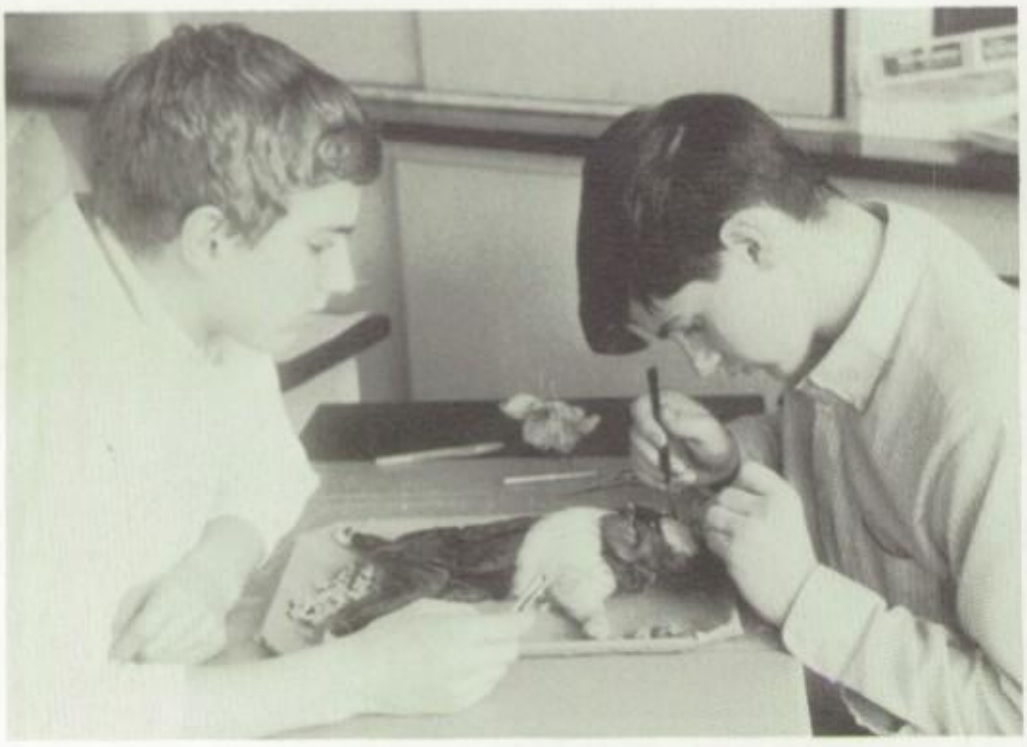


Jan LaBrecque checks the directions to make sure she hasn't picked up a couple of stitches along the way.

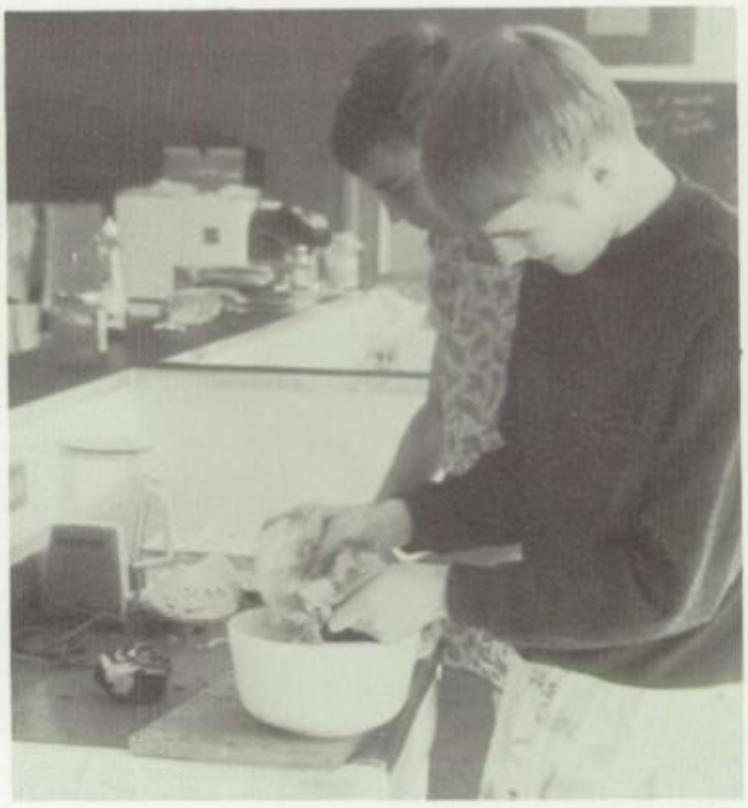


Mrs. Boyd watches as St. James students work out on the trampoline and rings at the YMCA.

Jazz dancing, taught by Mrs. Judy Smith, was a favorite among the girls during Creativity Week.



"You can almost see him think, " reflects Vern DuBuque as he probes the secrets of mammalian anatomy with David Lamb.



Bruce Daucsavage and Geary Yaeger find that good food isn't always easy to produce.

Wes Rydell shows the auto mechanics class how the brake shoes and brake wheel work during Creativity Week.

Mary Jo McKinnon is ratting Marcia Feltman's hair in their Glamour Workshop course.

Imagination and originality are expressed by Karen Plattes and Mary Beth Bushaw in Basic Design.

# *Once Upon A Time* Was The Prom

The Junior Class with its advisors, Sister Constance Marie and Sister Nancy, worked hard on the Prom. They chose "Once Upon a Time" as the theme and decorated the gym with storybook scenery. They used the gingerbread house, a castle with the seven dwarfs on the bleachers, an Alice in Wonderland dining area, the three little pigs, with their houses, a Cinderella pumpkin entrance, and a fountain that really worked. They had a yellow brick road around the edge of the floor that wound and ended in the middle of the gym.

Looking at the gym the night before prom the Juniors wonder what will ever become of it!

Prom Chaperons, Mr. and Mrs. Dobson and Mr. and Mrs. Kearns, enjoyed the evening with Alice in Wonderland.

Gail Bruce, Mary Bogan, Al Deraney and Sandy Ratslaff work on the pumpkin entrance for the prom.

Jan LaBrecque and Jack Grinde enjoy refreshments served by sophomore girls, Patty Maus and Sandy Fearing.

The music for "Once Upon a Time" was provided by "The Hot Half Dozen" from the University of Minnesota.

These couples take time out from dancing to the music of the "Hot Half Dozen" to rest in front of the Enchanted castle.

Gary Schill and John Stoffel arrive through the Pumpkin Coach with their dates, Kathy Jackson and Nancy Neinas.

The Grand March is led by the Junior and Senior class Vice-Presidents and Presidents with their dates. They are, LEFT TO RIGHT; Nancy Youngern, Mike Lundby (Sr. Class V. P. ), Terri Youngern, Mark Jackson (Jr. Class V. P. ), Sheila Monley, Jerry Miller (Sr. Class Pres. ), Jean Bohlman, and Dave Eckman (Jr. Class Pres. ).

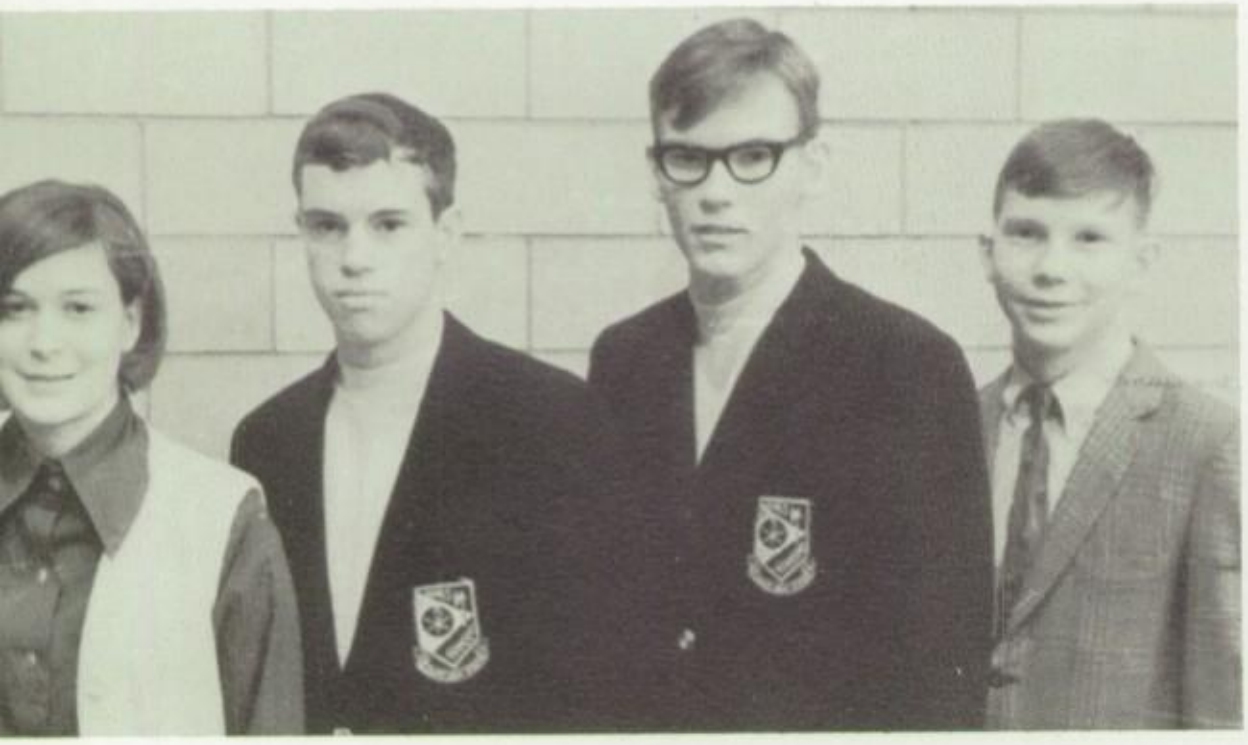
# Students Pause for Retreat

The students of St. James took part in their annual retreat March 20-21. Sophomores and Seniors came the first day and had as their retreat master, Father Paul Mohrbacher of St. Paul. He chose "Faith and Belief Today" as his theme in the lectures and discussions. Father Mohrbacher worked with the Juniors the second day. Father Edward Stone of Vesta, Minnesota chose "Knowing Yourself" as the theme of his discussions with the Freshmen. Each day's session was concluded with a special retreat Mass.

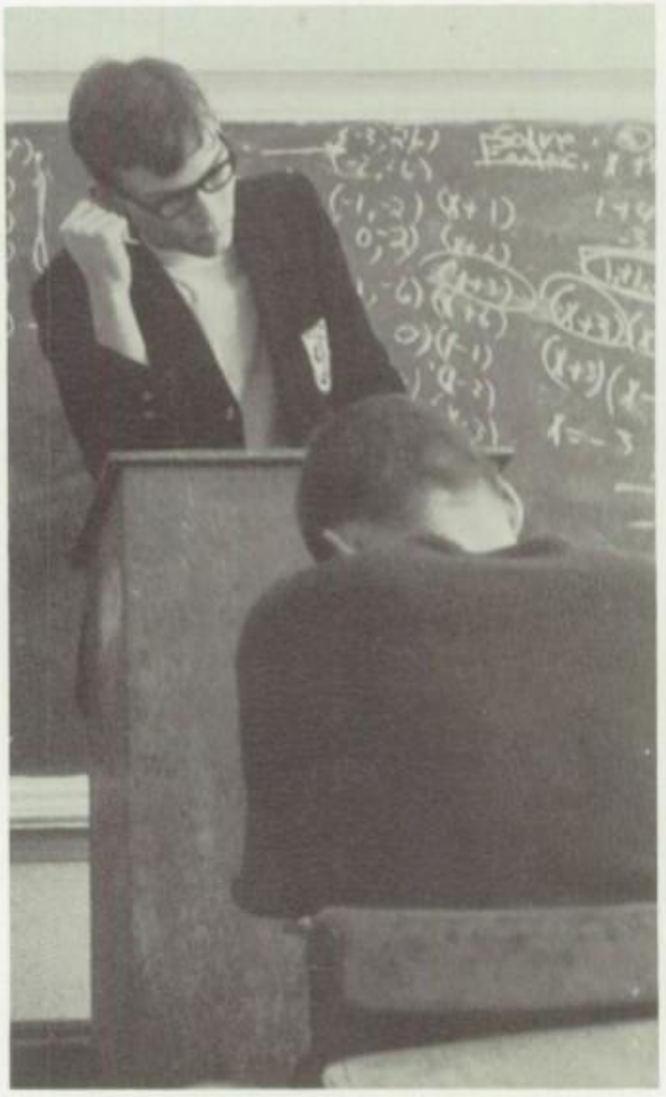
Father Mohrbacher, retreat master from St. Paul, attempts to answer a question placed before him by one of the Juniors.

Father Ed Stone, who came from Vesta, Minn. to help with the Freshmen-Sophomore retreats, assists in the singing at the Freshman Mass.

Mass is celebrated by Father Mohrbacher and the Juniors in a final retreat activity.



Student Council was led this year by: Jack Callaghan, President; Mike Montgomery, Vice-President; Nancy Dickson, Secretary; and Tim Bushy, Treasurer.



Jack Callaghan, president, introduces an issue in the SC meeting.

Jerry Miller, George Whalen, and Bill Donley concentrate on the issues being discussed in Student Council.

# Student Council Active in Many Ways

Student Council was an important organization at St. James for letting the faculty know how the students felt on different issues. They helped get the Commons privilege for the students. The Student Council also helped to further inter-city school relations by sponsoring a dance as part of the Inter-City Student Council. Since St. James didn't have a foreign exchange student this year, they sponsored a student in Africa. Student Council took up a collection at an all-school Mass to aid this student. One of the spring activities Student Council sponsored was a dawn dance.

Christmas trees and food boxes are brought up by S. C. members as gifts during the school Christmas Mass.

# Awards Given; Dinner-Dance Held for Royals

The SJH students were recognized on Awards Day. Father Sauter presented scholarships and community awards. Jerry Miller gave the "awards" to the teachers. The senior class prophecy was read and the "March of Time" took place. The seniors moved up to the stage and other classes filled in behind. The St. James athletic association put on a dinner-dance for the students of St. James on May 14. They served chicken, sloppy joes, & pizza. The Melvin T. Burlap Band played until 9 when the Cornerstones took over until 12.

Jerry Miller, Senior class president, presents the school emblem to Mr. James Ryan, president of the St. James school board

Sister Irene is presented with a chocolate cake to use as an example in future economics discussions.

ABOVE: Jerry Miller presents Jr. class pres., Dave Eckman, and the underclassmen with a plaque, pledging their loyalty to their new schools. RIGHT: Ann Linneman, Jerry Miller, and Mike Lundby cement the school colors into a wall in the gymnasium.

The Seniors and Juniors sing their traditional going away songs to each other.

Mr. Bob Montgomery and Mr. Don Bohlman discuss how the dinner-dance is going.

At the dinner-dance, students go back for second helpings of chicken, potato salad, rolls and pop served by the men of the Athletic Association.

Students and alumni danced to the music of the Melvin D. Burlap Quintet and the Cornerstones.

Many loyal Royal families and friends were on hand to witness St. James' last graduation.

# Graduation Marks the End of SJH

Sunday, May 25, was graduation day for the 95 members of the fiftieth and last graduating class of St. James. Graduation activities started with Mass in the morning followed by a breakfast prepared by the Junior class. The Commencement exercises were held at 2 p. m. The graduates marched into the gym to "Pomp and Circumtance." Father Sauter presented the graduates and Father Stephen Dickinson conferred the diplomas. The main address was given by Dr. Merlin G. Duncan from Mankato State College.

For the first time at graduation each girl carried a rose which came from the Rose Flower shop.

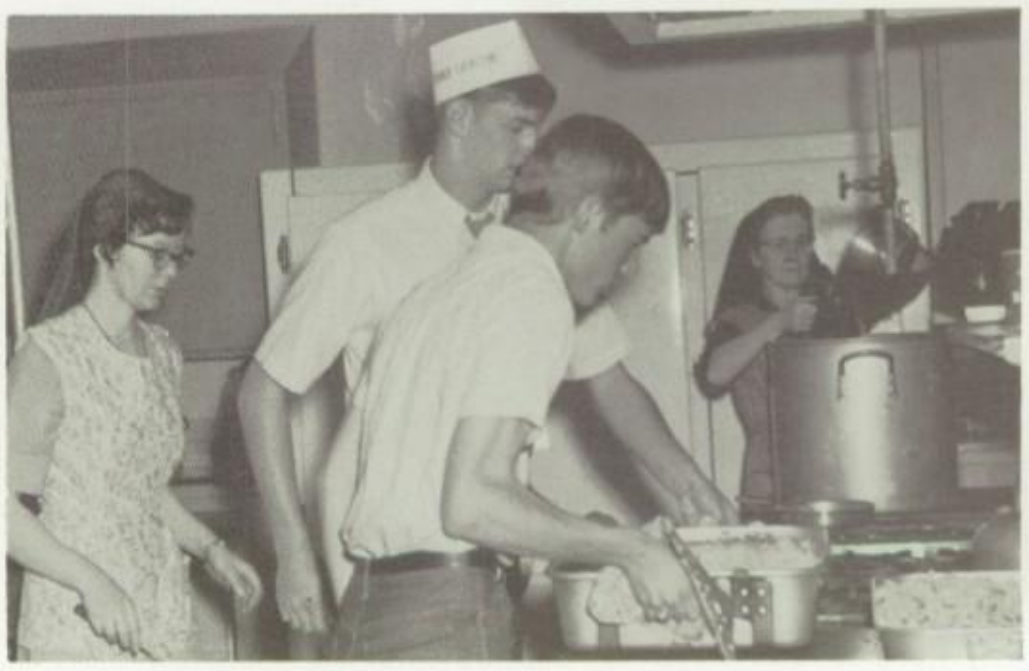
Marilyn Dobson ends her career at St. James with a smile as she receives her diploma from Father Stephen Dickinson.

Father Gallagher offers communion to the open hand of Gayle Hansen while her sister Carla looks on.

Ruth Fortin, salutatorian, and Jim Haigh, valedictorian, lean against the books which have helped them to learn all their knowledge of the last four years.

Jan LaBreque talks with her parents during the bacculaureate breakfast as Susan Monley offers them coffee.

The graduation address, on the developments in education, was given by Dr. Merlin G. Duncan, vice-president for Administration Affairs at Mankato State College.



Sister Nancy and Sister Constance Marie watch as chefs Tom Abar and Jim Walford put the finishing touches on the graduation breakfast.

# NHS Hosts State Convention

The St. James Chapter of the National Honor Society had a busy year. National Honor Society took care of the annual "Dollars for Scholars" drive and they hosted the State NHS convention on April 11-12. The theme of this year's convention was, "The Student Today!" About 100 people attended the convention. Speakers at the convention were Dr. Wayne Worner and Lt. Governor Richard Larson. Delegates and observers to the convention were entertained by a banquet and a dance on Friday night. The convention ran smoothly because of the help of advisor, Sister Irene, assisted by Sister Nancy.

Sister Irene congratulates the newly elected NHS state officers: Dave Plattes, president, and Mitch Kenville, secretary.

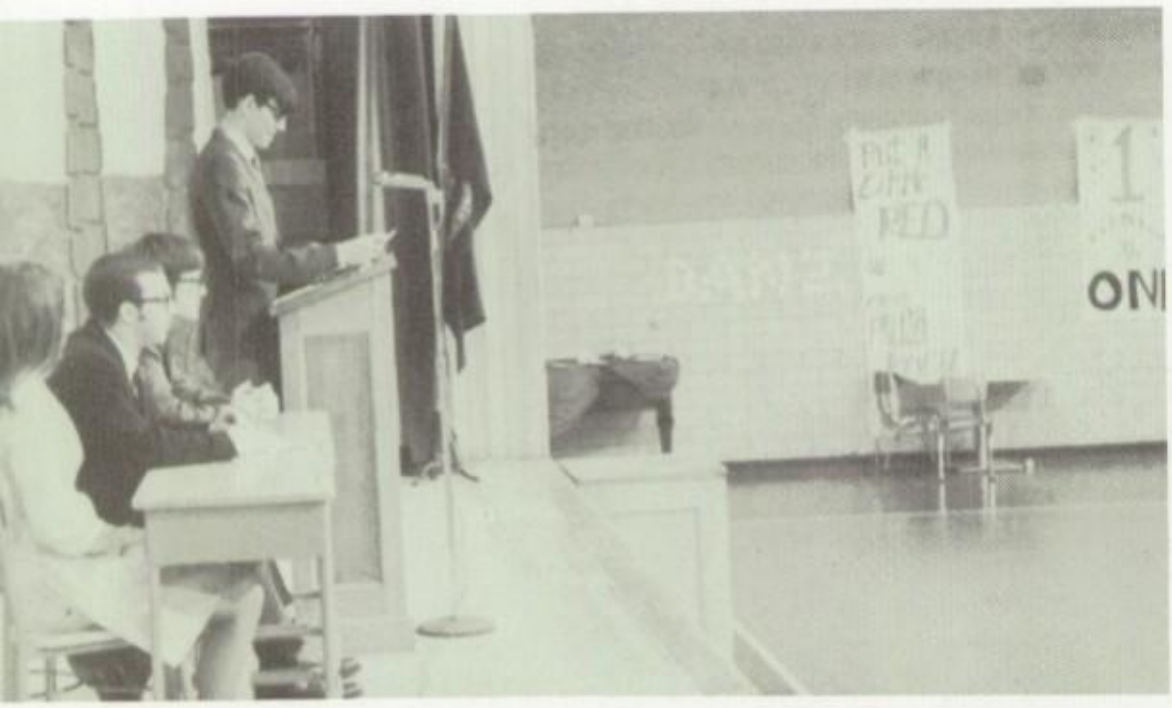
Bridget Narloch, Patty Maus, Marge Mynster, and Diane Andrys cut out flower patterns for the State Convention decorations.

Irene Hutton and Mike Gamache get the folders ready for the convention, while Jackie Painter and Jodie Zogg check the housing arrangements.

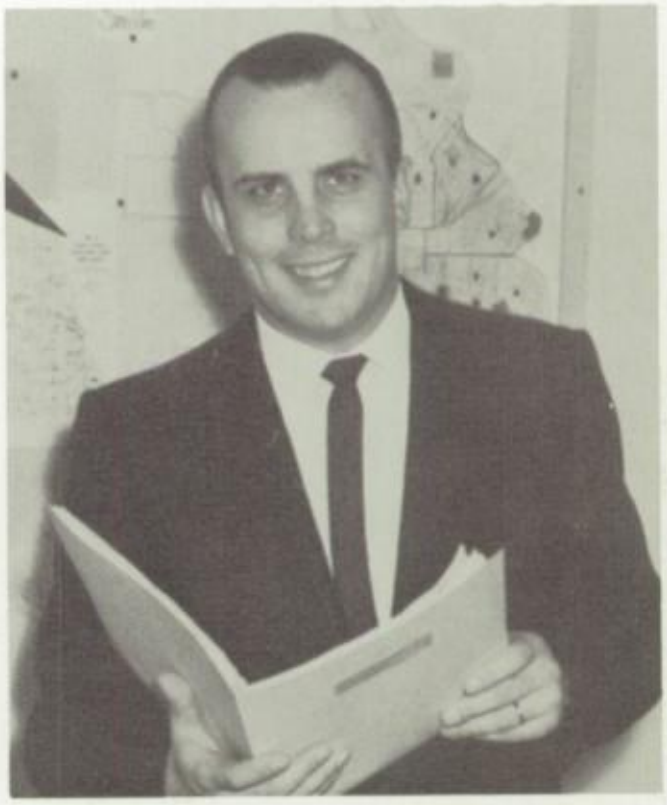
Jack Callaghan, Brad Kartes, Jim Haigh, and Ed Gillig all do their part as they make vases for the Convention.

President Ruth Fortin explains the divisions of Grand Forks to Kathy Storey, treasurer, as they prepare for the "Dollars for Scholars" campaign.

Gayle Hansen makes sure that all delegates and observers to the convention have their name tags and folders.



State president, Gary Woods of Mandan and the panel on student unrest, Mary Beth Maus, Jim Haigh, and Brad Kartes field questions from the floor during the convention.

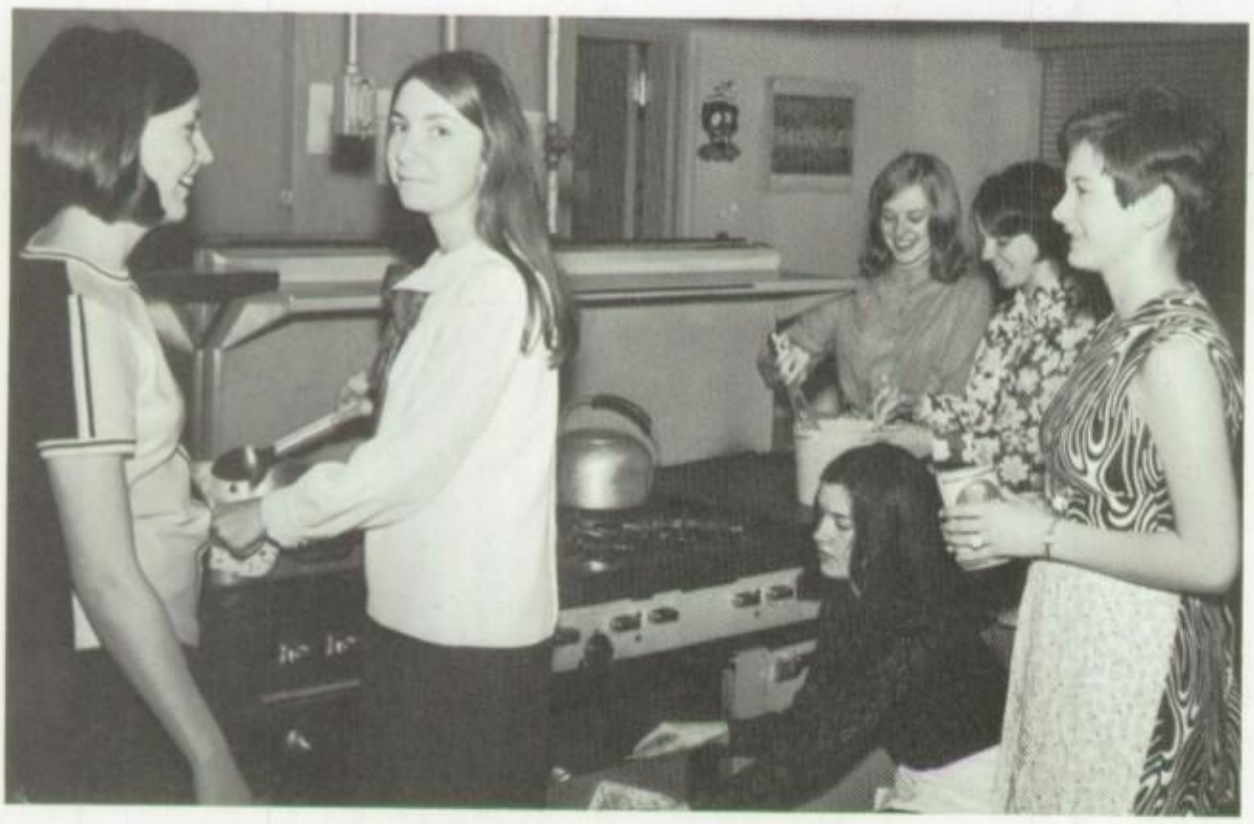


Dr. Wayne Worner, Superintendent of Grand Forks Public Schools, spoke at an assembly sponsored by N. H. S. and at the State Convention.

The Powerhouse belts out a tune at the convention dance. .

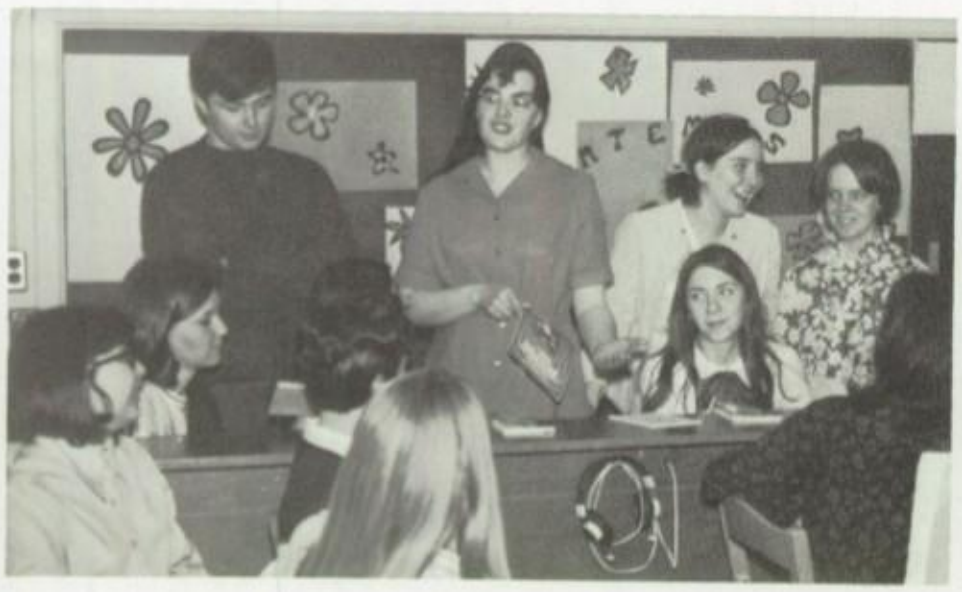
# French Club Hosts Banquet; Enjoys Play

The French club is composed of all students taking French. Sister Miriam Claire is the adviser. This year, instead of the regular Mardi Gras they served a six-course French dinner. The main course was 'bouef bourguignon'. This consisted of beef in a wine sauce. The French IV students took a field trip to Minneapolis to see a French play they had studied in class. It was called "Les Fouberies de Scapin" and was presented by a troupe of French players at the Jeanne d' Arc Auditorium at the College of St. Catherine in St. Paul.



French club officers, Susan Monley, Karen Kosanda, and Bonnie Kerian scan magazines and cook-books for recipes. Another officer, Jerry Miller, is missing from the picture.

Marlys Feltman and Meredith Bohlman judge the results, as other French club members prepare the rest of the French banquet.



Sister Miriam Clare guides her French 4 students in a discussion of the play "Les Fouberies de Scapin" by Moliere.

Students and faculty enjoy French cuisine.

# Signet Staff Produces Final Yearbook

Hardworking, dedicated, efficient, punctual . . . this is an accurate description of the yearbook staff. Under the guidance of Sister Christine they have been organized into various sections such as organizations and activities, introduction, album, and sports. The heads of each section have pushed their workers to write copy blocks, draw layouts and number pictures. The result of their efforts is what they feel to be a fitting fiftieth and final yearbook.

Mike Gamache and Jim Haigh choose the pictures they want to use in the sports section of the yearbook.

Rose Kosanda and Kathy Storey are busy scaling pictures for the yearbook.

Mary Beth Maus gives advice to Barb Wilhelmi and Marilyn Andrys on how to type captions on the layout sheets.

JoAnn Arnason works on the layout for the underclassmen pictures while Kathy Stoller identifies the underclassmen. Nancy Neinas and Terri Youngern also worked on this section.

Kathy Swangler works on the design for the yearbook cover.

The trumpet section of the band was made up of John Coleman, Jerry Meagher, Rod Spies, Mike Quirk, Carol Widman and Patti Block.

# Band Rouses Spirit; Plays at Concerts

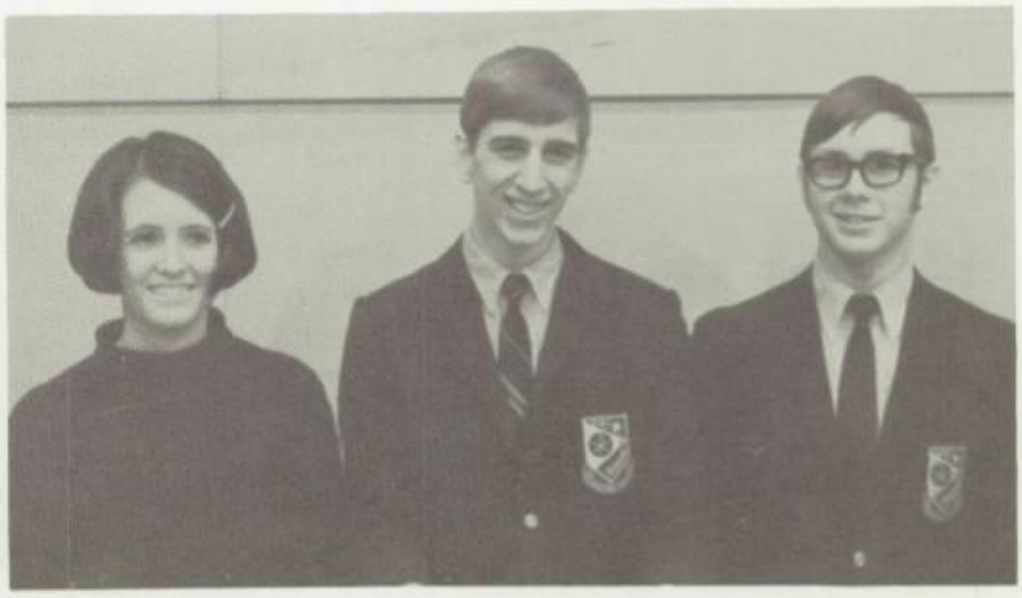
The band has been very busy this year. Besides performing with the Glee Club in the Christmas and Spring Concerts, they took part in a one-night "Bandorama" with the grade schools. Eight band members participated in the district festival this year. Mary Ann Phelps and Karen Kosanda received a number one rating for their flute and tympani solos. A field trip to Winnipeg, Canada, May 8-9 was a welcome change for the band. They closed their busy year by playing the traditional "Pomp and Circumstance" at graduation.

Playing a number at the Christmas concert are: FIRST ROW: Sandy Ratzlaff, Dianne Burris, Juanita Morgan, Mary Anne Phelps. SECOND ROW: Sandy Kearns, Jim Walford, Jane Freeman. THIRD ROW: Tom Miller, Dave Plattes, and Don Severinson. Karen Kosanda is at the tympani.

LEFT band members include; FIRST ROW: Jim Walford, Frank Tupa. SECOND ROW: John Bulger, Dave Eckman. BACK percussion: Steve Mercil, Kevin O'Neil, and Ron Kulas. RIGHT: Jane Freeman and Bill Donley play the French horn.

The "South Pacific" band consisted of St. James band members, band alumni, and junior band members.

The "Dixie-land" band, consisting of Dave Eckman, tuba; Dave Plattes, trombone; Jim Walford, saxaphone; Patti Block, trumpet; and Steve Mercil, drums (behind Jim Walford), performed at the spring concert.



The band officers were Karen Kosanda, Dave Plattes and Dave Eckman.

Pep band members and Boys' Noise band mingle with the crowd during our victorious game over Shanley.

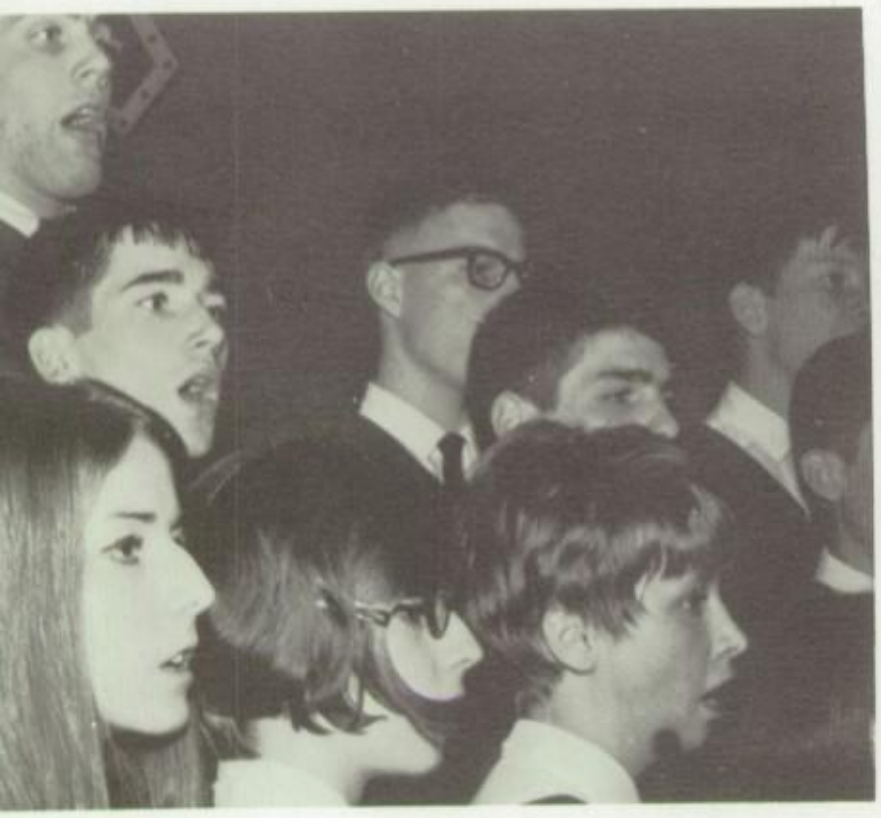
William Eckroth, band director, goes through a final practice with the band before they give their spring concert.

# Glee Club Brightens Up Year With Song

The St. James Glee Club had many big moments this year. They put on a successful Christmas concert and taped their songs for a TV performance. District and State Music Festivals also saw top Royal performances. At District, held at St. James, all small groups received a rating of excellent. The groups included the girls sextet, girls ensemble, boys ensemble, mixed octet, and barbershop quartet. Pat Tupa, Jim Haigh, Gary Schill, and Phil Meyer were soloists. The Glee Club sang at a school assembly in May and a spring concert with the band, May 23.

The Glee Club officers were: Jennie Abar, vice-president; Phil Meyer, president; and Leigh Bohlman, secretary-treasurer.

Sister Elizabeth Anne directs the Glee Club which consists of; FRONT ROW: Mary Jo McKinnon, Nancy Montgomery, Arlene Wasylow, Marie Miller, Pat Wynn, Jacki Harlow, Robin Lukkason, Lynn Duchscher, Virginia Gamache, Vicki Fetsch, Elaine Buckmeier, and Jennie Abar. SECOND ROW: Nancy Bushaw, Marlys Hoffarth, Pat Kroeber, Debbie Kroeber, Leigh Bohlman, Bonnie Kerian, Julie McGurran, Meredith Bohlman, Kathy Peterson, Bonnie LaMoine, Madonna Dorscher, Marlyn Riske, Bonnie Brodeur, Denise Dargon, Kathy Holweger, Nancy Neinas, JoAnne Zerr, and Rose Marie Hughes. THIRD ROW: Bob Parkos, Gordon Penn, Brendan Kuklok, Tom Whalen, Dennis Macleod, Gary Rogalla, Mike Mahowald, Ed Endres, Roger Allard, Mark Bohlman, David Dorscher, Greg Kalenze, Rod Spies, Tom LaBonte. FOURTH ROW: Larry Lundby, Gary Mozinski, Phil Meyer, Mark Jackson, Tim Bushy, Bill Bohlman, Pat Tupa, Mike Rasmussen, Mike Davis, Bernie Foltz, Brad Tupa, Jim Haigh, Mike Glimsdahl, Bruce Daucsavage, Gary Schill, and Jim Capes. The accompianist is Karen Plattes.



Glee Club members put everything into their final number at the Christmas concert.

A group of sophomore girls: Patty Maus, Denise Dargan, JoAnne Ryan, Marge Mynster, Debbie Pias, Patty Keogh, and Patty Laney received an "excellent" rating at the district music festival for their rendition of "I Love Little Willie."

The Boy's Quartet: Phil Meyer, Pat Tupa, Jim Haigh, and Gary Schill do their version of "Sweet Adeline".

Phil Meyer presents Sister Elizabeth Anne, the director, a poinsetta during the Christmas concert.

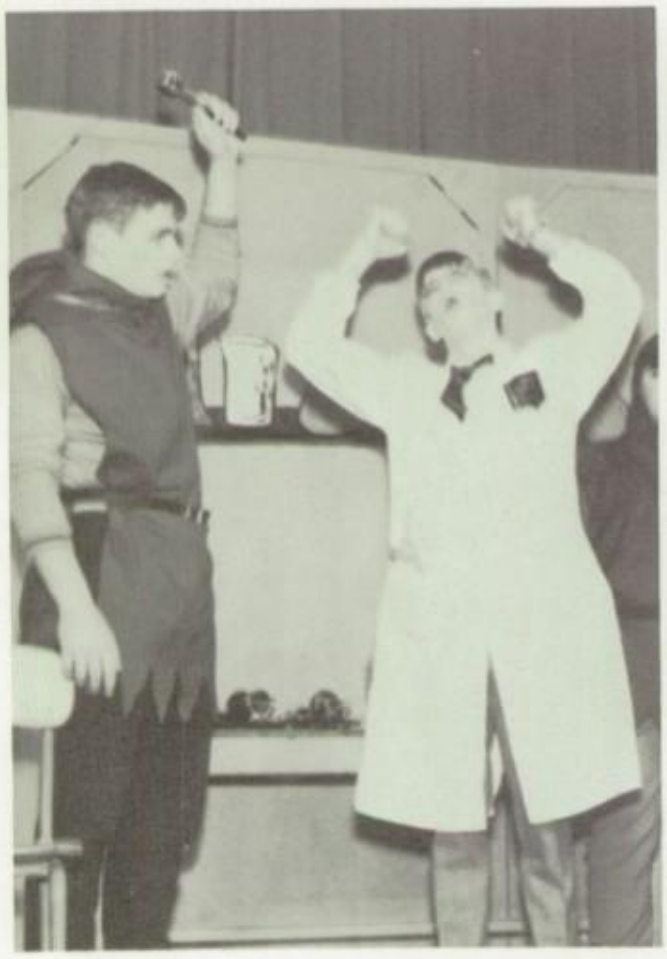
The cast of "The Mouse That Roared" line up after their fall production.

# *Mouse* Invades SJH Halls For Fall Play

The Duchy of Grand Fenwick, led by Duchess Gloriana XII, is the smallest nation in the world. The duchy declared war on the U. S., because it was selling the same kind of wine as the duchy's main export, but at a cheaper price. The plot of this satirical comedy thickens as Tully Bascom, forest ranger and High Constable, leads his men to the U. S. where they capture the powerful Q-Bomb and win the war! The play ends with the U. S. making reparations to the duchy. THE MOUSE THAT ROARED, directed by Sister Jean Dummer, was presented by the Players Royale on November 9 and 10.

Queen Gloriana (Shiela Monley) pleads with Tully Bascom (Mike Buckley) to lead Grand Fenwick in war against the U. S.

The gallant soldiers of Grand Fenwick prepare to attack New York City.



Professor Kokintz (Kevin Kilgore) flies into rage when he finds Tully has captured the powerful new Q-bomb.

Stage managers, Gloria Weisgram and Tim Bushy, look over their instructions while Kevin O'Neil and Judy Linneman wait for directions.

The President (Gary Schill) shows Secretary of State (Jim Haigh) evidence that the missing U. S. General has been captured.

Tully returns Gloriana's skarf after his victory over the U. S. Mr. Benter (Tim Dickson) of the Dilutionist party and Countess Mountjoy (Jeannette Seavey) of the Anti-Dilutionist party look on with Tully's mother (Nancy Bushaw).

Dynamene (Jeannette Seavey), Doto (Mary Pat Pariseau), and Tegeus (Jim Haigh) salute "the Master" in "A Phoenix Too Frequent".

"The Professeur" (Kevin Kilgore), and his maid (Irene Hutton) remove the body of "The Pupil" (Mary Pat Pariseau) in St. James production of the one-act play, "The Lesson".

On the RIGHT, Mrs. Busby (Terri Youngern) lends a sympathetic ear to Spike, a burglar (Tom Whalen) in St. James one-act production of "Nobody Sleeps". BELOW, Spike startles the Busby daughters, Daisy (Diane Andreys), Ada (Patty Maus), and Glory (Karen Kosanda) when he shouts, "HANDS UP!"

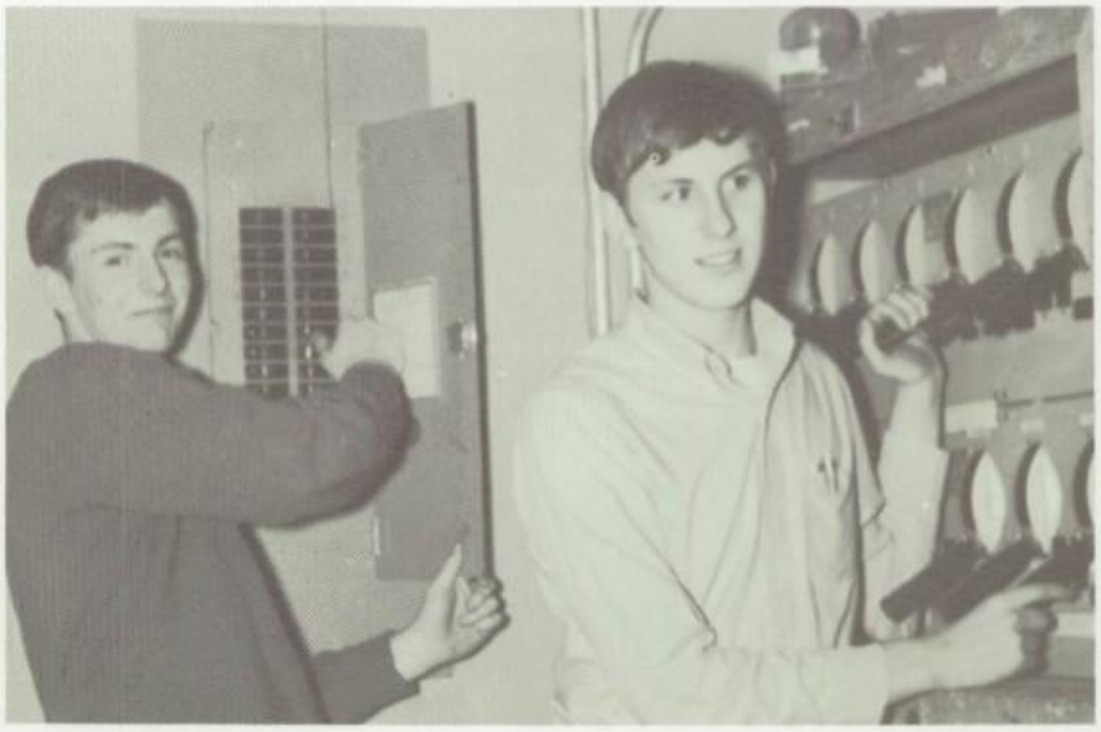
# One-Act Plays Win Awards

St. James produced three one-act plays during the year. "A Phoenix Too Frequent" is about a young widow who goes with her servant to "the Master's" tomb to die. There she falls in love with a Roman guard. The play took first place in the Fargo North Speech Festival. "The Lesson", which received an excellent rating at the District speech festival, is the story of an insane professor, who murders his pupils, and of his maid, who tries to cover for him. "Nobody Sleeps" is a comedy about a paperboy-burglar who attempts to rob the "Busbys".

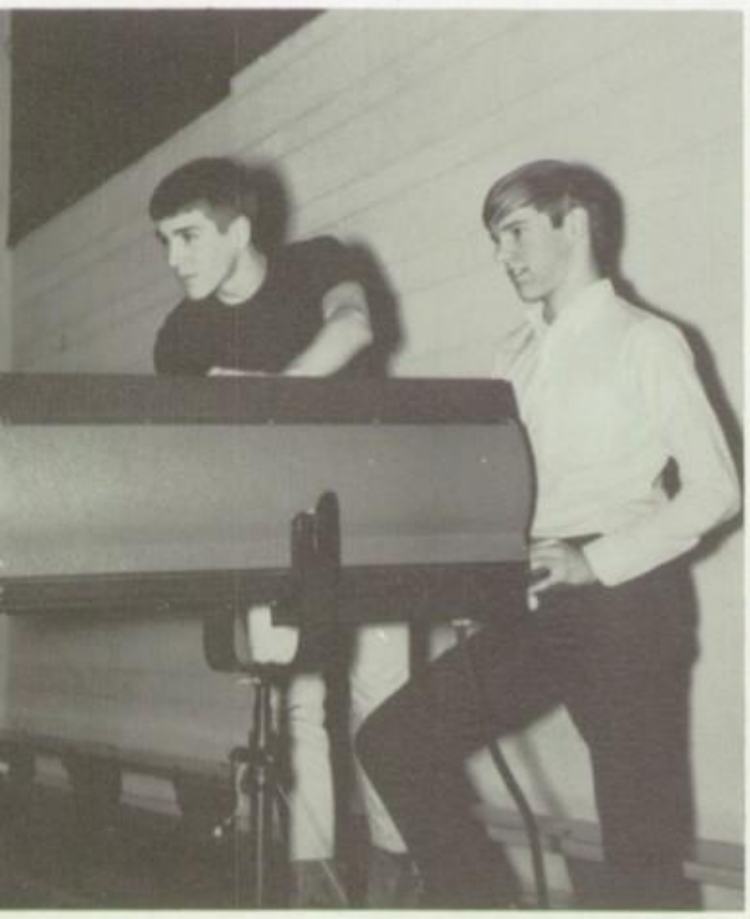
# Players Royale Gain Trophies, Work on Plays

Helping Mary Pat Pariseau and Terri Youngern with make-up are from LEFT, Gail Bruce, Barb Wilhelmi, Leigh Bohlman and Maureen Eret.

Members of the Drama Club, under the direction of Sister Jean Dummer, produced the fall play, "The Mouse That Roared", a series of one-act plays, and the spring musical, "South Pacific". Their performances reflected the excellence of hours of work and practice. Final presentations were dependent on dedication from backstage; lights, stage, and sound crews; and make-up, prop, and costume crews. The members of publicity, tickets, and ushers assured a full house. Officers were Pres. Sheila Monley, V. P. Mary Pat Pariseau, and Sec. - Treas. Margaret Kenna.



Jim Walford and Rod Richter manned the lights during all of the St. James' productions this year.



Tom Whalen and Tom Abar were at the spotlight for one evening of the production, "The Mouse That Roared!' Tom Whalen subbed for Jim Kobetsky, a member of the regular crew.

Sheila Monley and Mary Pat Pariseau show trophies won at Fargo North. Mary Pat holds her trophy for Best Actress, in the one-act "A Phoenix Too Frequent" with Jim Haigh and Jeannette Seavey. The play also took 1st. The trophy for 1st place in humorous interpretation was won by Jodie Zogg.

# SJH Takes on Spirit of South Seas

The St. James stage came alive for the last time as the Players' Royale presented "South Pacific" for their spring musical. This enchanting story is about Emile de Becque, a French planter, and Nellie Forbush, a Navy nurse, and their growing love for each other. Unsure if her love was real, Nellie played it cautiosly toward Emile. While Emile was on a dangerous mission for the Navy, Nellie realized that she really did love him. The finale comes when Emile returns, alive and well, and they are together again. "South Pacific" was presented on April 17, 18, 19, and 20.

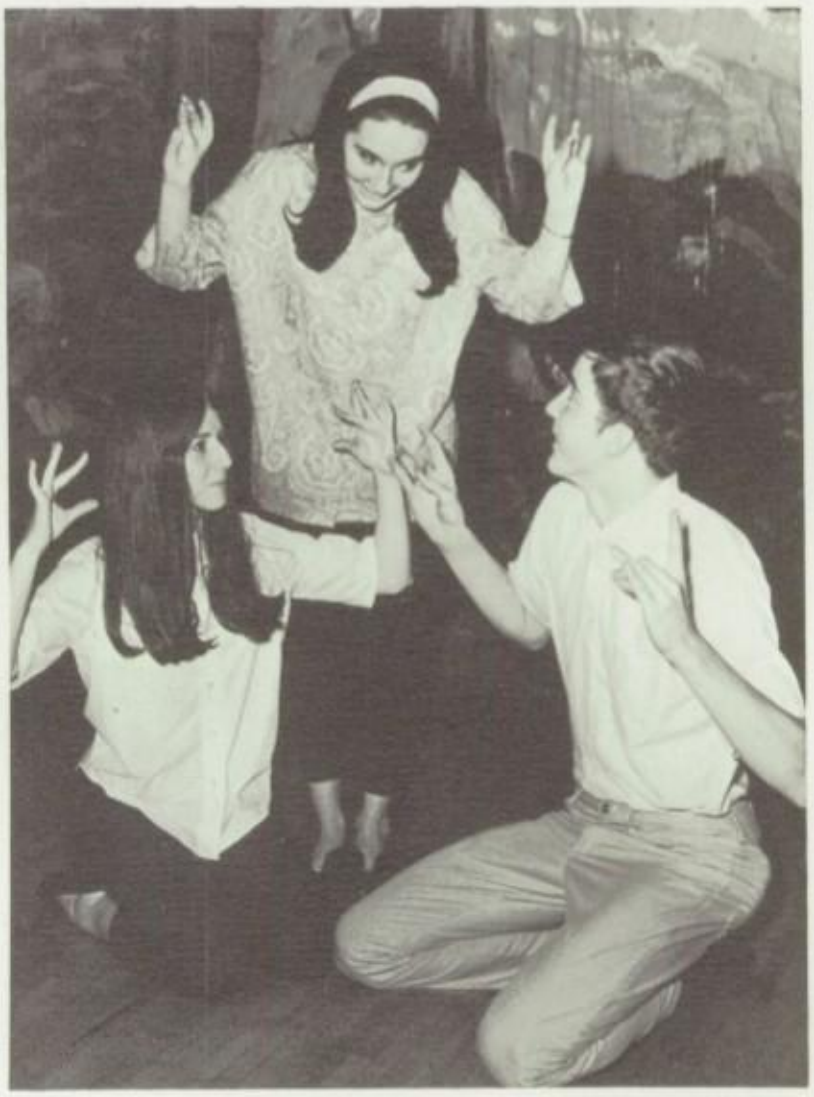
Emile de Becque (Phil Meyer) tells Nellie Forbush (Sheila Monley) that he will "never let her go".

Before the first performance Sister Elizabeth Anne, vocal director, Sister Jean Dummer, director, and Mr. William Ekroth, band director check the final cue arrangements.

The natives of Bali Hai bid farewell to Lt. Cable and Luther Billis.

The crews for "South Pacific" display the tools of their craft.

The seabees emphatically agree with Luther Billes' (Mike Mahowald) statement that "We ain't got dames".



Bloody Mary (Jeanette Seavey) and her daughter Liat (Pat Kroeber) show Lt. Cable (Gary Schill) how to talk "happy".

The seabees and the nurses put on their annual Thanksgiving day show.

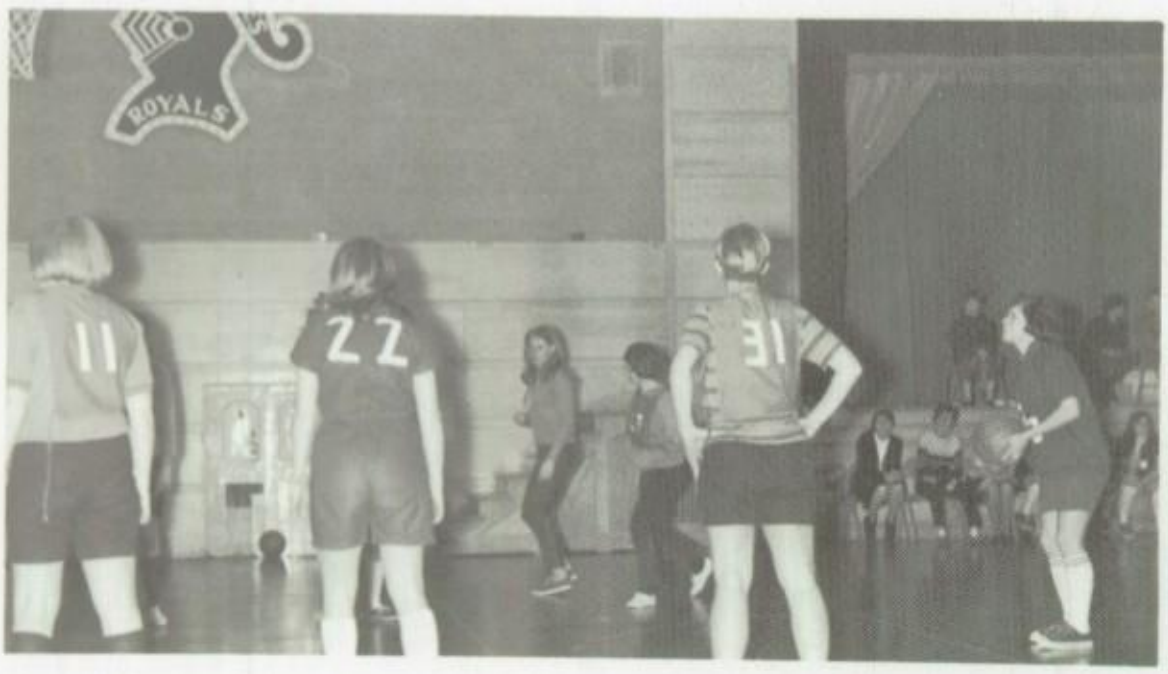
Emile (Phil Meyer) introduces his children, Ngana (Debbie Pais) and Jerome (Greg Kaleze) to Nellie (Sheila Monley) as Henry (Mike Gamache) looks on.

Luther Billis (Mike Mahowald) practices his hula for his "Honey Bun" performance.

# Girls Display Athletic Abilities

Some Wednesday nights the gym was filled with girls trying to improve their athletic ability. Under the supervision of Mrs. Nancy Boyd the Girls' Athletic Association was out to show that They're just as athletically inclined as the boys. They demonstrated their athletic skills in such sports as: basketball, volleyball, badminton, softball and track. G. A. A. organized volleyball and basketball teams which participated in tournaments. It also helped the girls' track team by raising money and buying some equipment they needed.

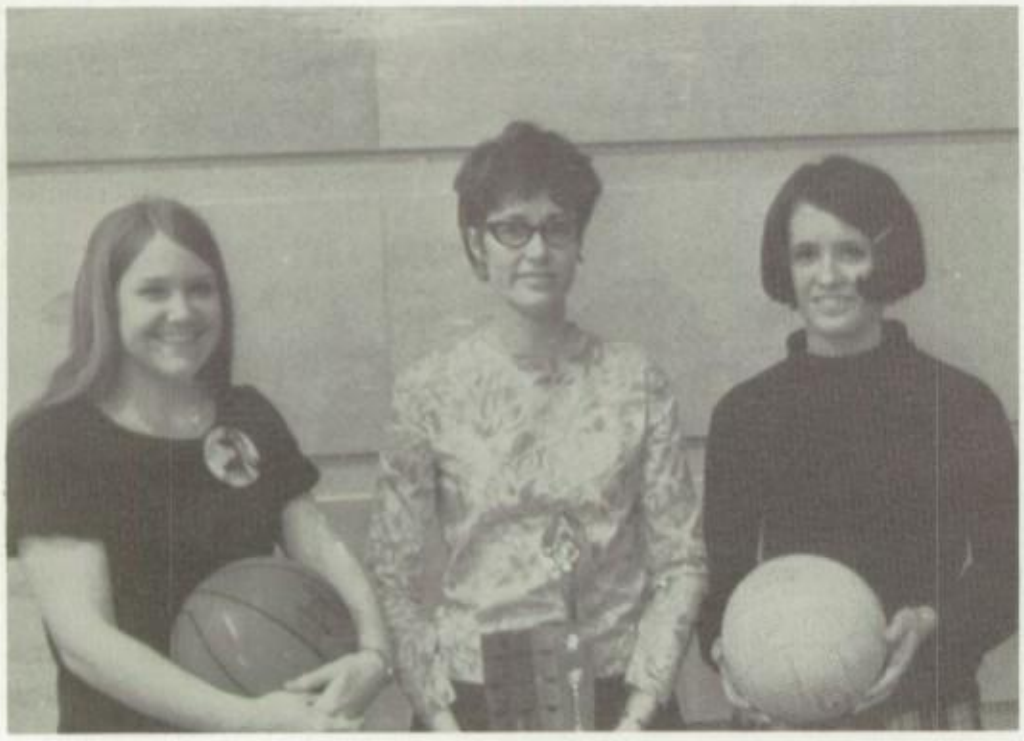
The girls' basketball team were; BACK ROW: Patty Maus and Mitch Bachellor. 3RD ROW: Sister Susan-asst. coach, Irene Hutton, Gloria Weisgram, and Mrs. Boyd-head coach. 2ND ROW: Maureen Roche, Barb Wynne, Jan Nikle and Nancy Montgomery. 1ST ROW: Jackie Painter, Jill Weisgram, and Margaret Peterson.




Gloria Weisgram takes a free throw in the St. James girls basketball game with Central.

Jan Nikle and Mitch Bachellor warm up.

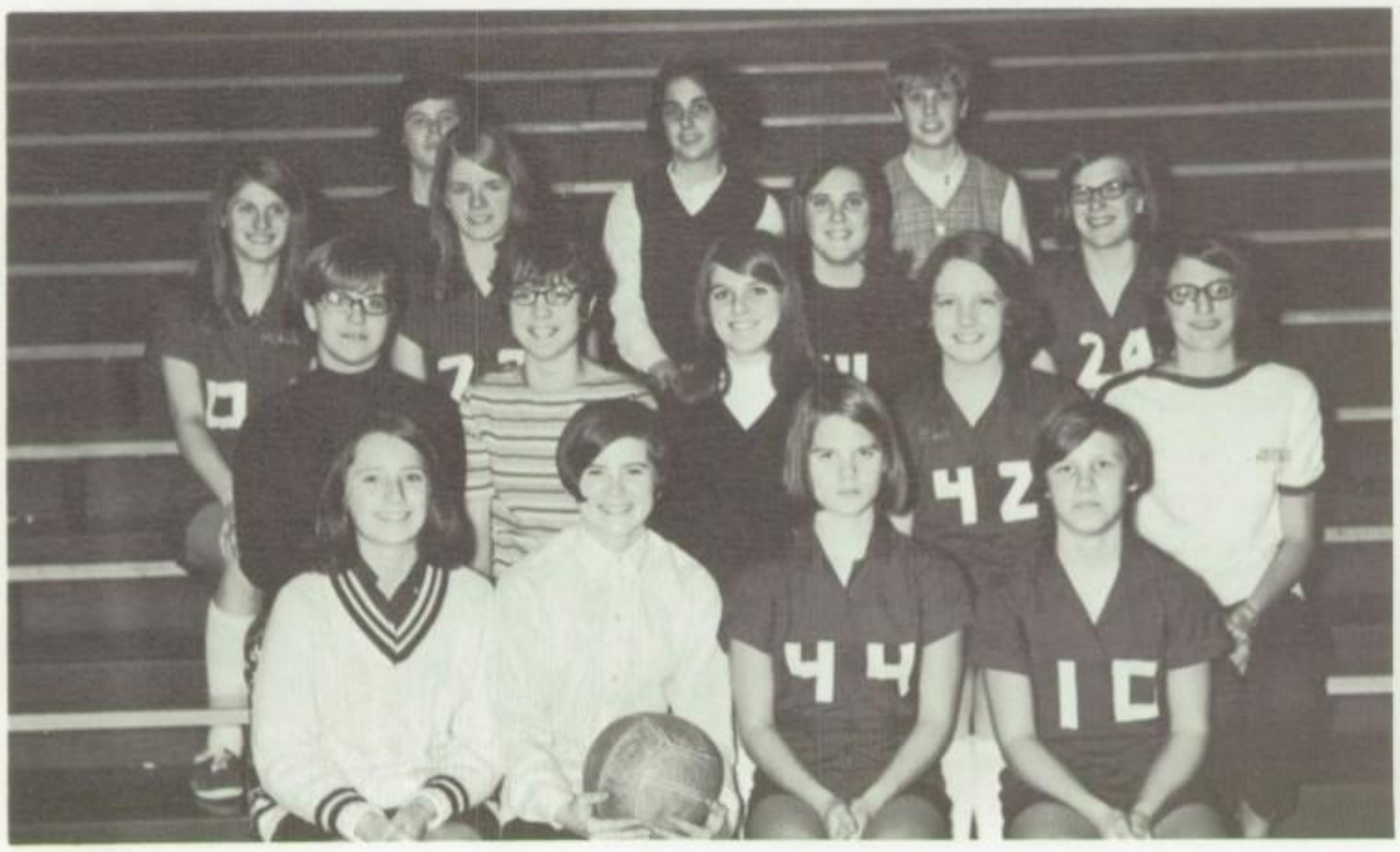
Nancy Montgomery, Margaret Peterson, and Irene Hutton in a tense moment before a game.



G. A. A. advisor, Mrs. Boyd meets with Elaine Buckmeier, president, and Karen Kosanda, vice-president.

Cindy Absey and Cora-Lynn Olmstead discuss the upcoming E. D. A. tennis tournament.

Gloria Wiesgram practices throwing the discus as she tries to match her record that got her into state last year.



The girls volleyball team; BACK ROW: Gloria Weisgram, Bonnie Bujnovsky, and Leigh Bohlman. 3RD ROW: Mitch Bachellor, Irene Hutton, Jan Nikle, and Maureen Roche. 2ND ROW: Mary Pat O'Halloran, Margaret Saumer, Cora-Lynn Olmstead, Barb Wynne, and Kathy Wert. 1ST ROW: Terry Wilhelmi, Sherry Cooper, Jill Weisgram and Margaret Peterson.

# Pom-Ponners Liven Halftime Entertainment

Fans who attended the Royals' basketball games were entertained by the St. James Pom Pon Girls. Practices after school and at lunch time went into making the performances so delightful. The Pom Pon girls went to Bismarck when the Royals played the Saints. During the District Basketball Tournament they entertained the Grand Forks Central and St. James fans. The Valley City and Fort Yates fans saw them during the State Tournament. Mrs. Nancy Boyd was the adviser and Lynn Prochaska helped in making up some of the routines.

St. James Pom Pon girls carry Royal Pride through half-time with their enthusiasm and peppy routine.

The Royal Pom Pon girls for 1968-69 are: FRONT ROW: Debbie Kroeber, Debbie Fearing, Mitch Kenville, Gayle Prochaska, Zub McDonald, and Terri Youngern. BACK ROW: Mary Lou Olson, alternate, Denise Dargon, Pat Kroeber, Kathy McDermott, Kathy Peterson, Pam Brown, and Sheila McDermott.

With a dramatic finish, the Pom Pon girls close out another super performance of "Sweet Georgia Brown".

The Pom Pon girls show their "Classical Gas" routine to the school during a pep rally.

Mr. Don Bohlman, president of the Athletic Board, makes a few congratulatory remarks at the athletic banquet.

F. C. A. officers: Dave Kennedy, vice-president; Jerry Miller, president; Bruce Daucsavage, secretary-treasurer.

# Lettermen and FCA Athletes Contribute

The Letterman's Club, consisting of lettermen from all Royal sports, met last fall to hold elections. The results: Mike Buckley, pres.; Mike Lundby, vice-pres.; Dave Kennedy, sec.; and Larry Lamb, treas. The lettermen had their annual "Fun Night" and took upon themselves the task of selling the leftover "Royal" T-shirts. The Fellowship of Christian Athletes, a new organization at St. James, sent representatives to the FCA camp in Red Willow. They also sponsored the "Golden Mass" at Christmastime. At the awards banquet, Dave Kennedy was named "Christian Athlete of the Year."

Gary Lykken presents Mike Lundby with the most valuable player award for hockey.

F. C. A. members process into the gym before the Golden Mass.

Jan LaBrecque shows the enthusiasm of all Royal cheerleaders while leading "Give Me That Old St. James Spirit."

The 1968-69 Varsity football and basketball cheerleaders are Terri McDonald, Nancy Nienas, Gayle Hansen, Jennie Abar and Jan LaBrecque.

The hockey cheerleaders fire-up the crowd during the Central game.

The hockey cheerleaders for 1968-69 STANDING are Nancy Youngern, Barb Lundby and Carol Widman and KNEELING are Suzi Lynch and Ann Linneman.

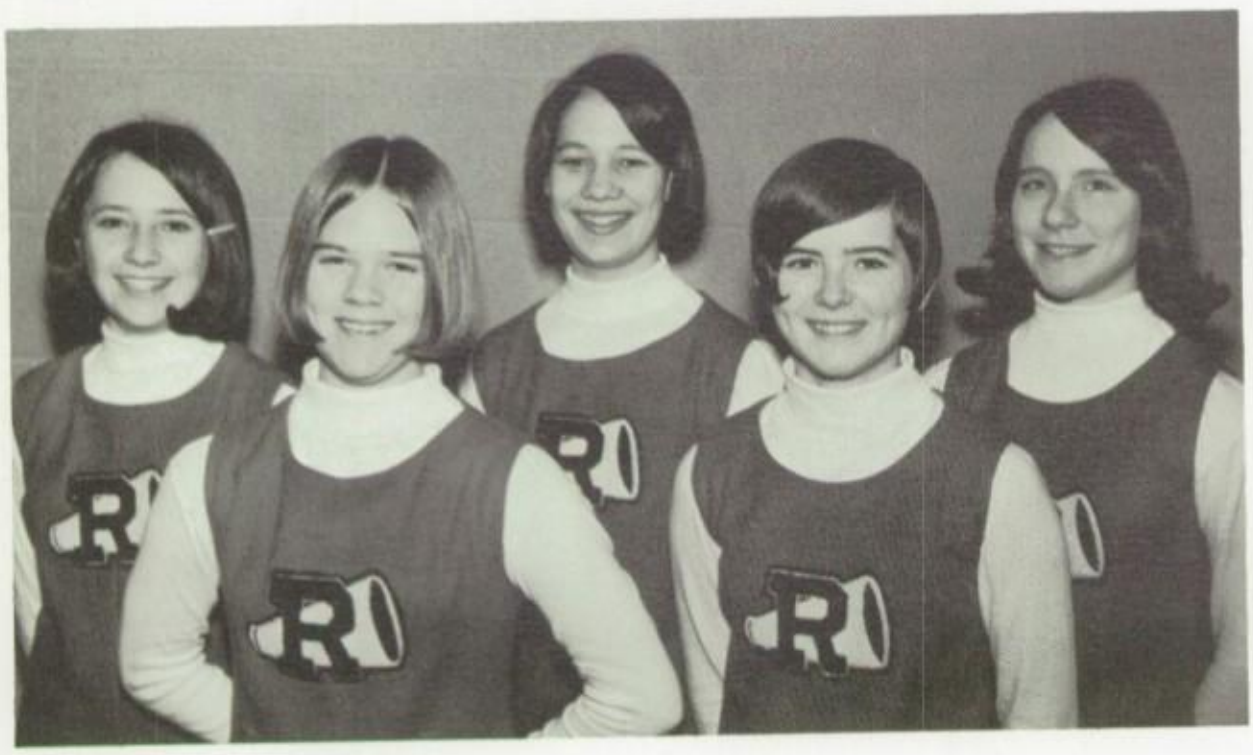
The B-Squad cheerleaders do "Score" during a time-out at the Red River game.

# Cheerleaders Urge Royals to Victory

Being a cheerleader is not an easy task. They must organize poster contests, make signs, put on pep rallies, sign up people for bus trips, practice cheers and smile even when their team is losing. Royal cheerleaders accomplish all this and more. The pep and bounce of the varsity, B-squad, freshman and hockey cheerleaders has added to the excitement of our past season and kept the Royals truly number one in spirit.

The 1968-69 J. V. and B-Squad cheerleaders are Kathy Jackson, Mitch Bachellor, Karen Kosanda, Gayle Bruce, and Nancy Montgomery.

Varsity Basketball cheerleaders celebrate Royal spirit as the Varsity defeats the Shanley Deacons.

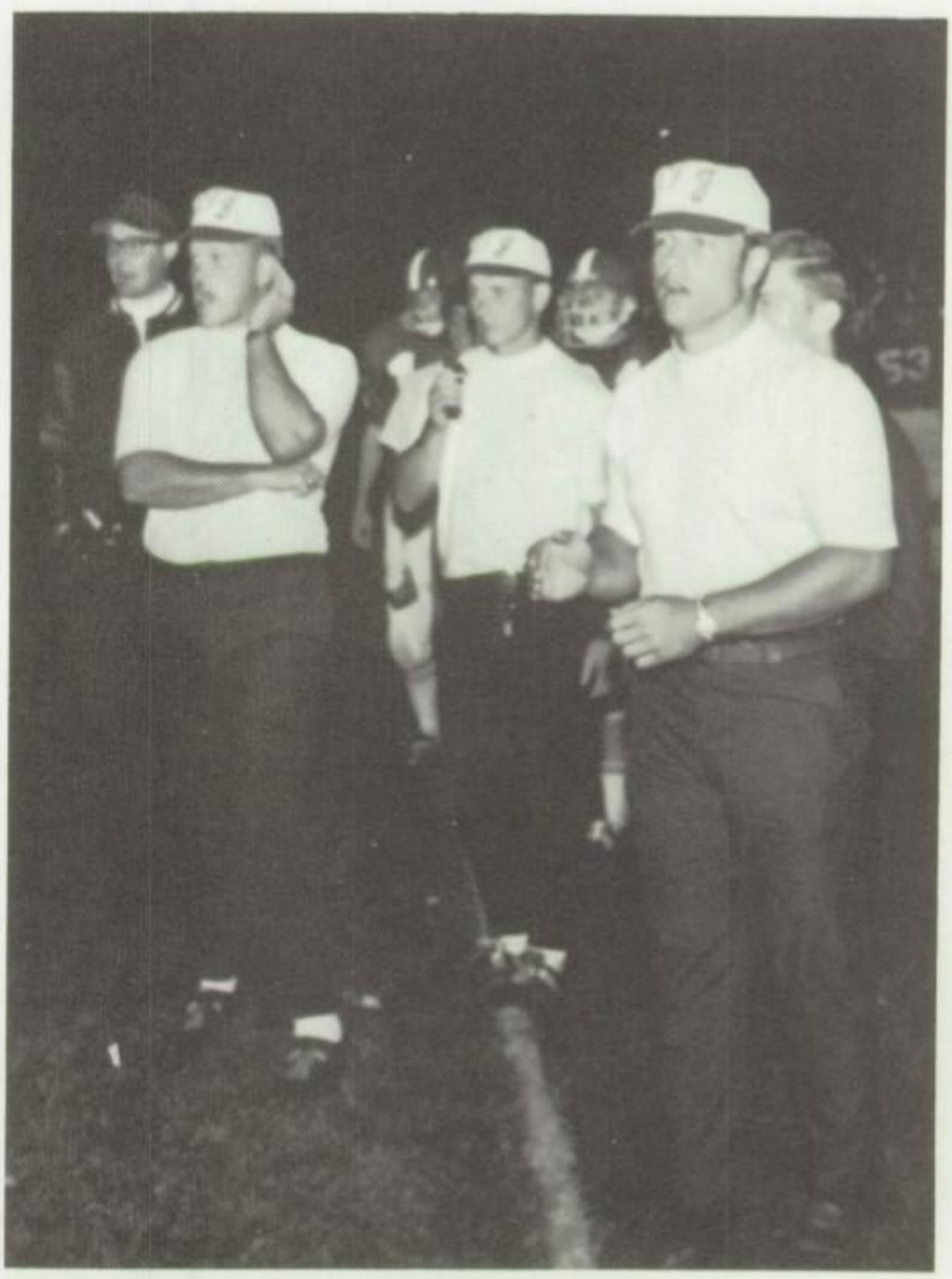


The 1968-69 Freshman cheerleaders are Terri Wilhelmi, Jill Weisgram, Patty Schue, Sherry Cooper and Mary Beth Bushaw.

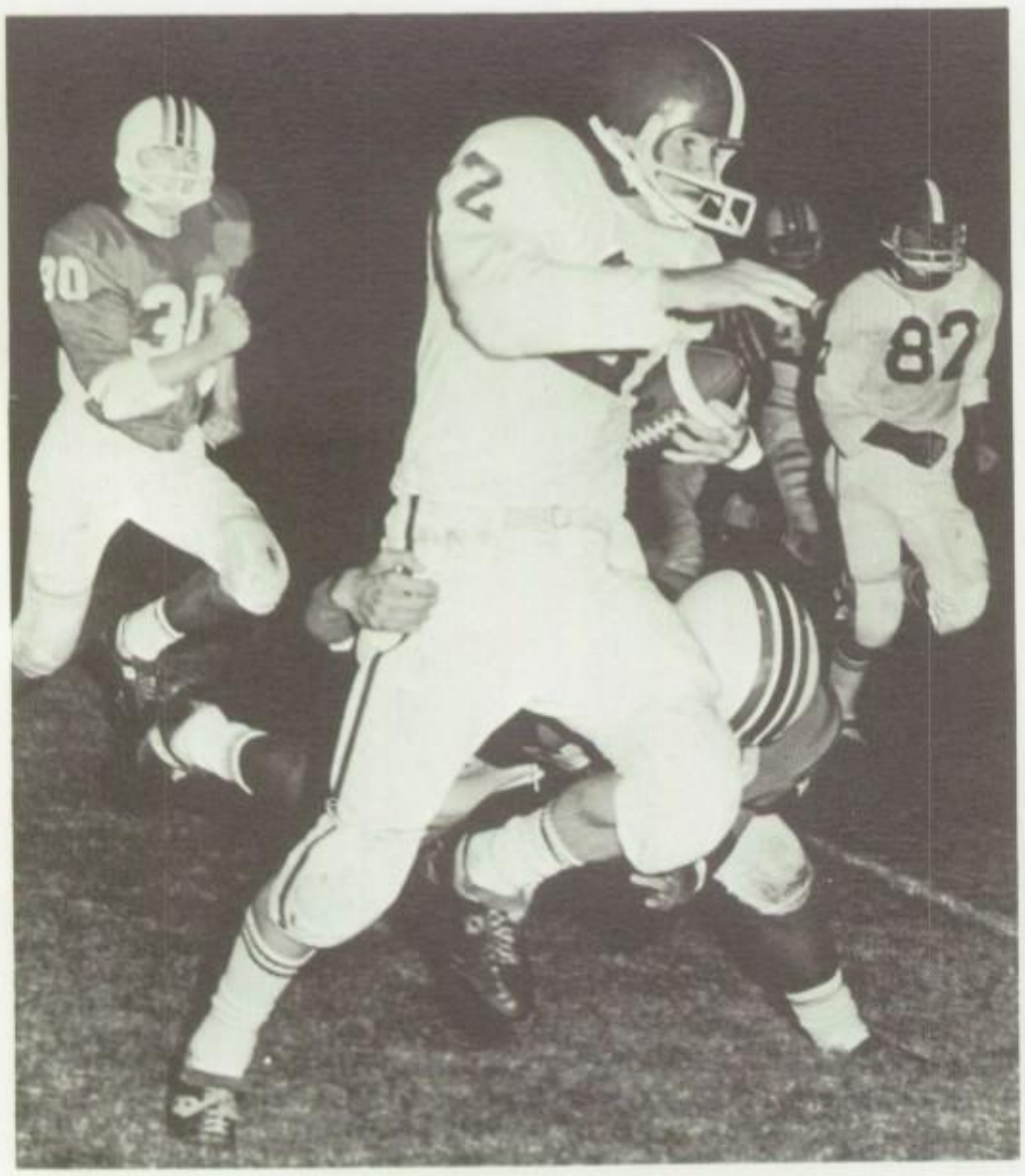
The Royal Football Team LEFT TO RIGHT: ROW 1: (back): Dave Evers, Rod Bertsch, Ben Parkos, Phil Johnson, George Whalen, Jerry DeGagne, Brad Kartes, Jesse Cadreau, and coach Gary Benson. ROW 2: Dennis Ryan, Jack Callahan, Dave Blue, Rick Stevens, Larry Kuntz, John Coleman, Jerry Meagher, Jack Grinde, Randy Ekren, Scott Rerick, Bill Schmisek, Bob Miller, and assistant coach John Anderson. ROW 3: Larry Simmers, Jim Haigh, Bill Donley, Frank LeBlanc, Dave Eckman, Mike Mahowald, Mark Jackson, Pat Endres, Ruben Obregon, Jack Kennedy, George Srur, and assist. coach Rodger Wallantine. ROW 4: Terry J. Kuntz, Dale Wilhelmi, Dave Dave Aguilar, Pat Tupa, Greg McDonald, Doug Grinde, Tony Palmascino, Tom Whalen, Tim Bushaw, Geary Hiney, and Bob O'Leary.

# Royals Up and Down in Final Season

The final football season for the Royals started out with a bang: two 34-0 victories over Devils Lake and Red River. After a loss to powerful Fargo Shanley, it was discovered that Royals' slotback, Dave Kennedy, had broken his ankle. This forced the Royals to rely heavily on a passing game, and as it turned out, the leading passes and receiver in the EDA were Royals' Bruce Daucsavage and Jack Grinde. With 3 losses in the last 6 games, the Royals compiled a 5-4 record. The B-squad had a good 6-1-2 season and the freshmen went 3-4.



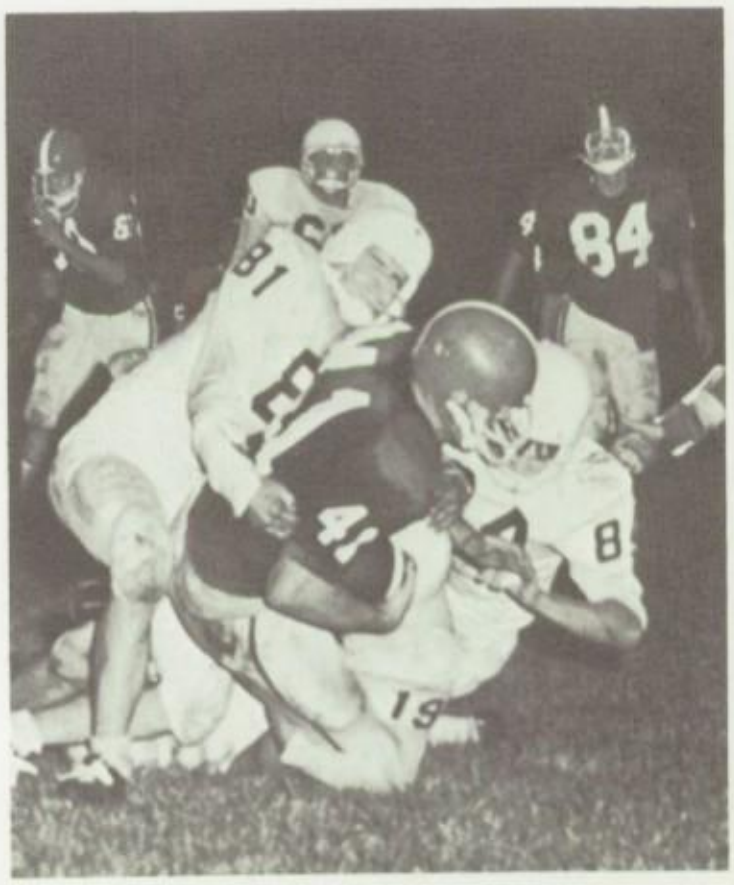
The Royal coaching staff waits out a tense moment in a tough game.



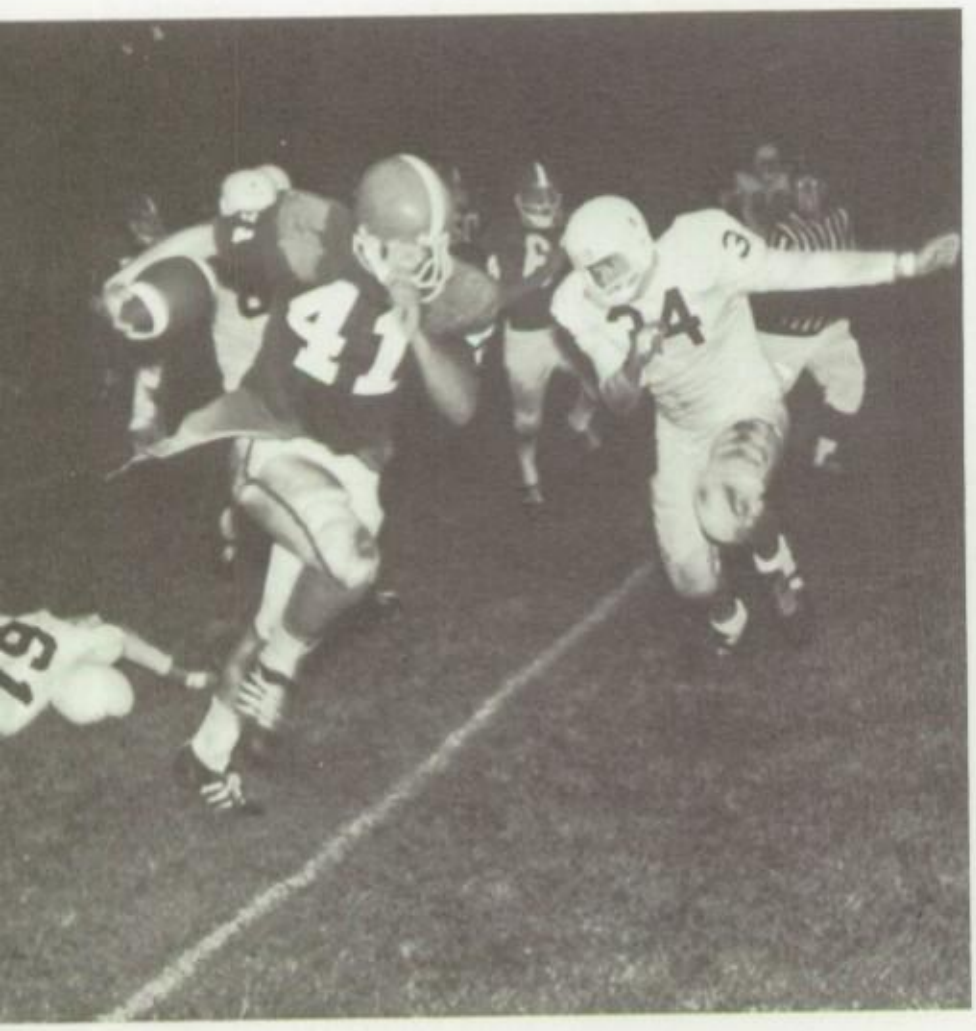
Dave Kennedy tries to break away from the Roughrider defense.

SEASON SCORES

| ROYALS | OPPOSITION |
|---|---|
| 34 - 0 | Devils Lake |
| 34-- 0 | Red River |
| 19 -41 | Shanley |
| 20 -12 | Central |
| 14 -20 | Fargo South |
| 7 -30 | Fargo North |
| 19 -21 | Jamestown |
| 13 - 0 | Sacred Heart |
| 25 - 6 | Aberdeen Roncalli |



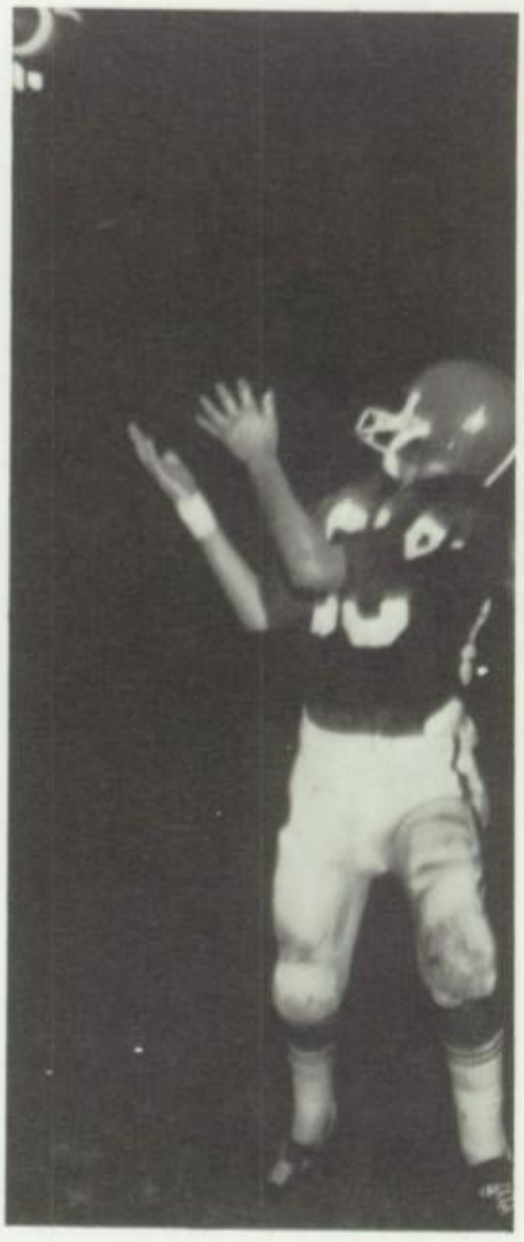
Central defenders find Pat Simmers a tough customer. Here it takes three 'Skins to pull him down.



Pat Simmers rips through Central's defense.

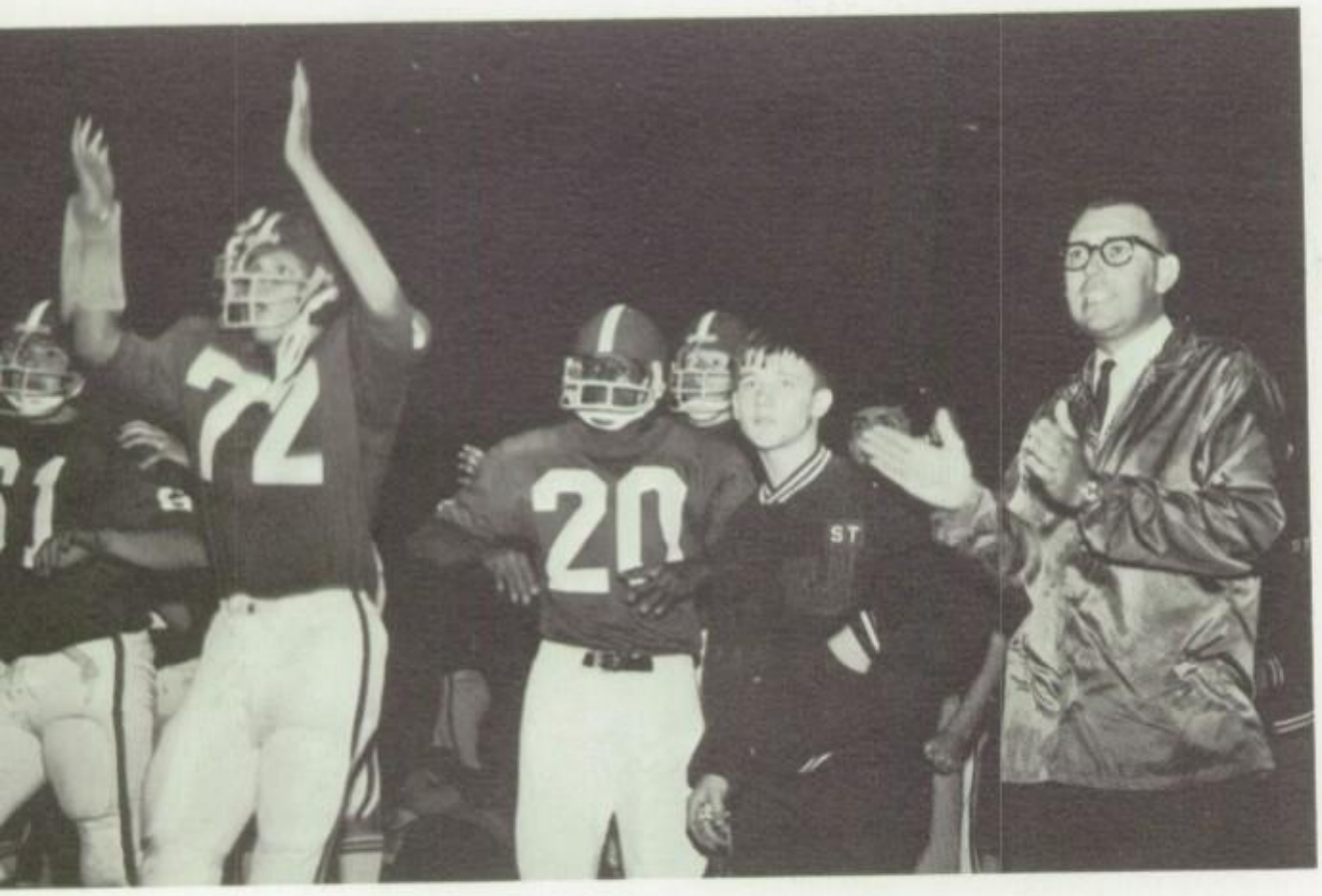
Royal Tri-Captains; LEFT TO RIGHT: Mike Buckley, Phil Meyer, and Jerry Miller.

Royalty reigns as the defense stops Central short.



Jack Grinde reaches back for another pass.

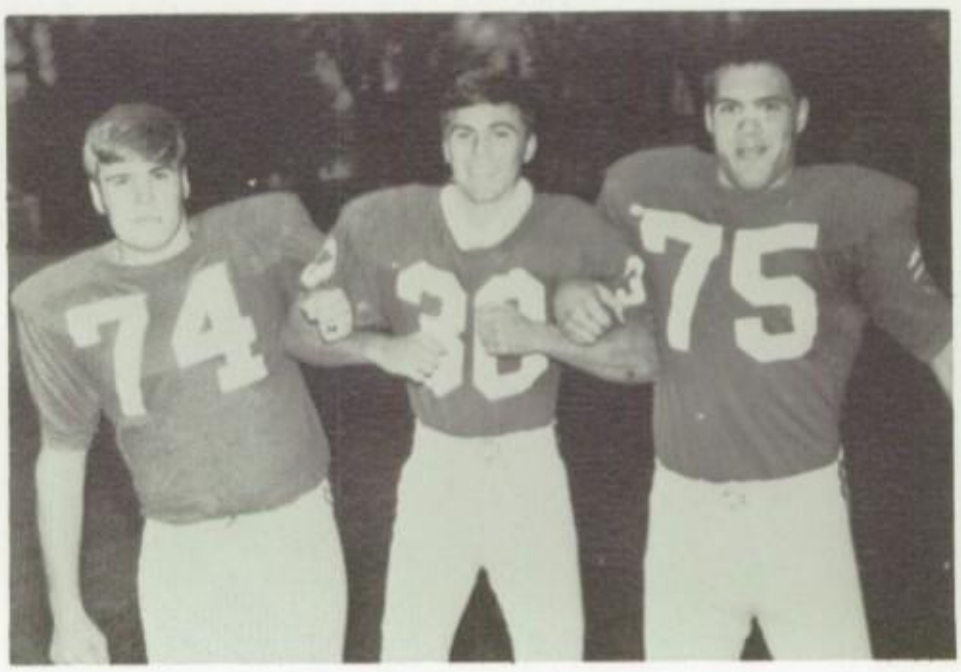
The 1968 Senior Lettermen; LEFT TO RIGHT, BACK ROW: George Whalen, Mike Buckley, Jerry Miller, Phil Johnson, and Phil Meyer. FRONT ROW: Pat Tupa, Ben Parkos, Mike Lundby, and Bill Donley.




The Royal bench comes alive as another touchdown is scored.

The cheerleaders do their part in working towards another Royal victory.

Student Managers, Ed and Dennis Endres take time out from their schedule to discuss the last game.



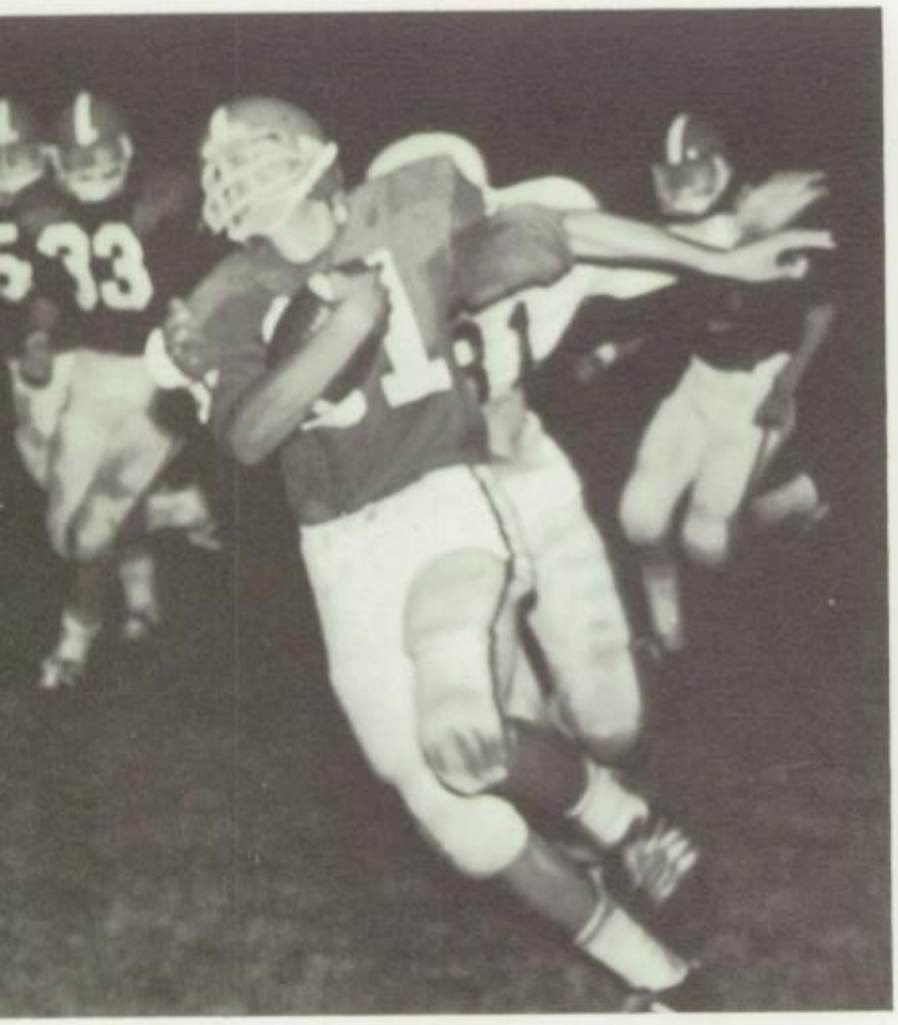

Pat Tupa is helped along by George Whalen and Phil Meyer.

Dave Blue finds the going harder than he figured against Sacred Heart.

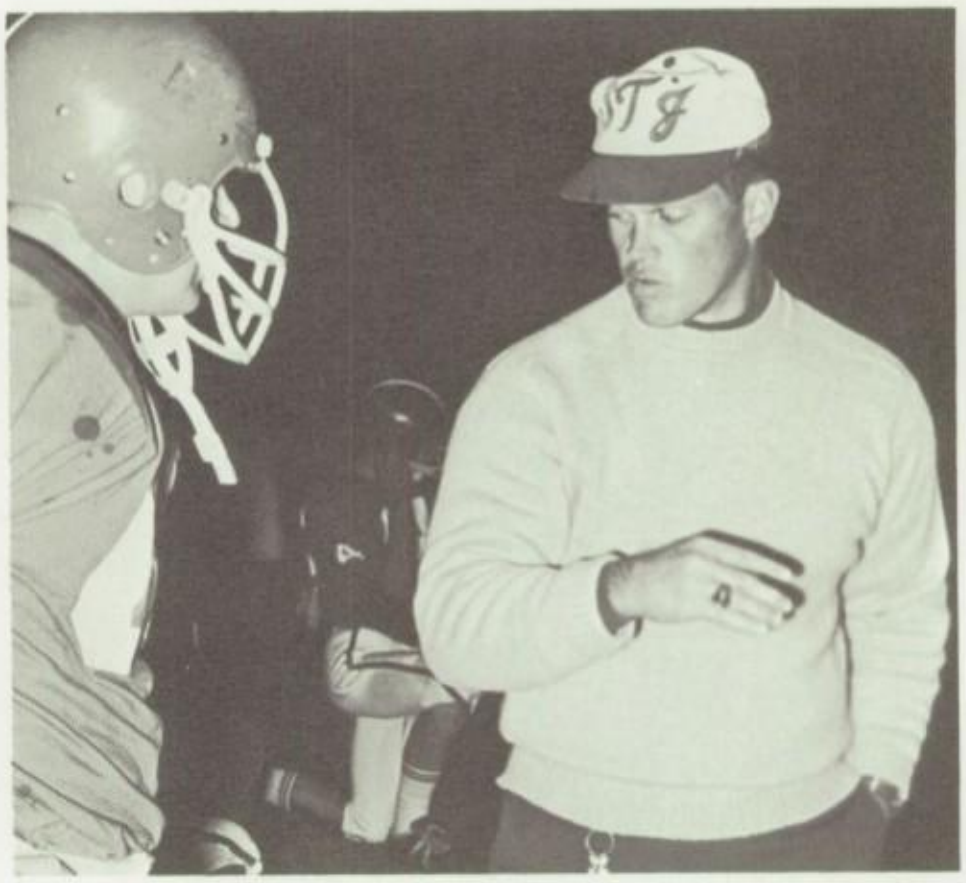
Defender Pat Tupa cuts Sacred Heart's fullback in half.

Dave Kennedy scoots for yards in the Royal's 34-0 victory over Red River.

The Royal Reserves offer their support in one of the tenser moments of the season. season.



Larry Simmers gains valuable yards against Central.



Coach Gary Benson gives a word of advice to Phil Johnson as he prepares to go into the game.

The 1968 Freshman Football team members are: ROW 1 (back): Coach Rick Cornell, Ralph Hutton, Bob Miller, Rich Senger, Robin Senger, Brad Pratt, and Coach Gary Thune. ROW 2: David Kratochvil, student manager, Mike Glimsdahl, John Pladson, Jim Horski, Brendan, Kuklok, Jerry Schmisek, student manager. ROW 3: Greg Kalenze, Mike Roufs, Gary Rogala, Bob Buckley, Tim Ewals. ROW 4: Joe Nikle, Ron Swangler, Mike Kearns, and Duane Meagher.

The members of the 1968-69 Royal hockey team are: STANDING-Coach John Anderson, Dave McDonald, Jerry Meagher, Rich Stevens, Tim Dickson, Doug Hiney, Warren Lykken, Jack Grinde. KNEELING-Larry Lamb, Mark Hall, Dave Lamb, Larry Lundby, Steve Mercil, John Stoffel, Tony Palmiscino, Frank Tupa, and student manager, Mike Mahowald.

# Royal Icers Go 16-4-3; 2nd in State

The Royals' final hockey campaign ended up quite a success. After early season problems, the Royals got going and went 12 games without a loss. In their last 19 outings the icers lost but twice -once to Fort Frances and once to Grand Forks Central. Under the direction of coaches John Anderson and Gary Lykken, the Royals brought home second place in the State tourney, missing first by only a hair. Goalie Larry Lundby had a fine season leading all first-string city goalies with a 1.85 goals against average. Mike Lundby, Mark Hall, and Larry Lamb attained all-state honors.

Mike Lundby sweeps down the ice to score the goal that brought the Royals to a 1-1 tie with Central.

The defensemen Mark Hall, Jerry Meagher, and Mike Lundby made Larry Lundby's job much easier.

Tony Palmisnino forechecks a Redskin defenseman.

Royals, Pat Endres and Larry Lamb, head for the boards to retrieve the puck after a missed shot against Central.

Central player, Don Peterson, attempts to escape the Royal defense of Jack Grinde, Mike Lundby, Larry Lundby, and an unidentified Royal during the state championship game.

Varsity Hockey Scores

| ROYALS | | OPPONENTS |
|---|---|---|
| 2 | 8 | Central |
| 3 | 3 | Red River |
| 7 | 2 | Devils Lake |
| 1 | 2 | St. John's of Winnipeg |
| 9 | 0 | Grafton |
| 3 | 2 | Fargo South |
| 9 | 0 | Grafton |
| 7 | 0 | East Grand Forks |
| 8 | 1 | Devils Lake |
| 1 | 1 | Central |
| 5 | 1 | Fargo North |
| 2 | 1 | East Grand Forks |
| 9 | 3 | Grafton |
| 3 | 0 | Red River |
| 2 | 2 | Crookston Cathedral |
| 7 | 0 | East Grand Forks |
| 2 | 5 | Fort Frances, Ont. |
| 7 | 1 | Crookston Cathedral |
| 5 | 3 | Fargo South |
| 3 | 2 | Fargo North |
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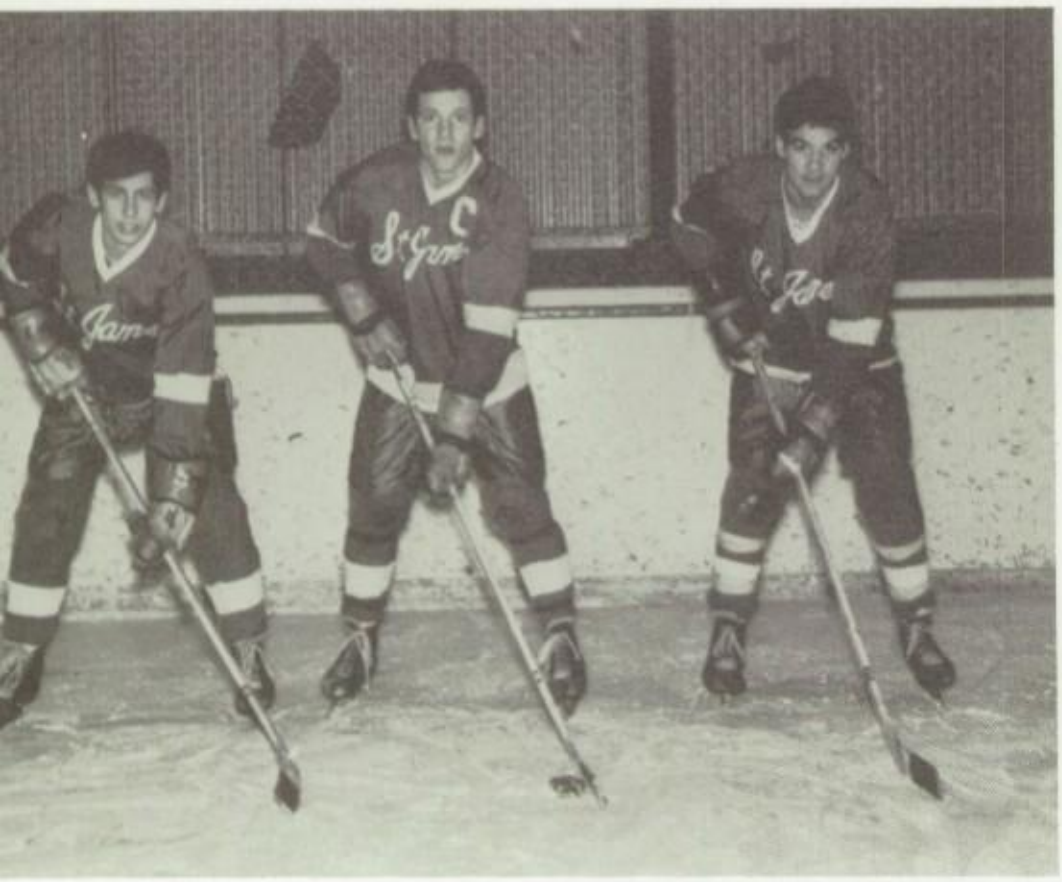
| 3 | 1 | Grafton |
| 6 | 2 | Red River |
| 2 | 3 | Central |

The St. James crowd keeps up the Royal's spirit while watching the game against Central.



The Royals' second line; John Stoffel, Larry Lamb and Doug Hiney.

Larry Lamb has the lead in this race for the puck.

Warren Lykken looks for the puck in State Tourney play against Grafton.

Mark Hall shoots in an attempt to score on the Redskins as Doug Hiney looks on.

Goalie, Larry Lundby, closed the door on many of the oppositions' attempts to score.

Coach Anderson gives a word of advice to Larry and Dave Lamb and Mike Mahowald.

Larry Lundby foils another Central attempt.

Royal captains, Mike Lundby, Mark Hall, and Larry Lamb, were all named to the all-state team.

Katie and Chris Lundby joined Barb in cheering the Royals on to victory in the state tournaments.

First line of Jack Grinde, Warren Lykken, and Tony Palmiscino.

# B-Squad Starts Strong Finishes 8-3-3

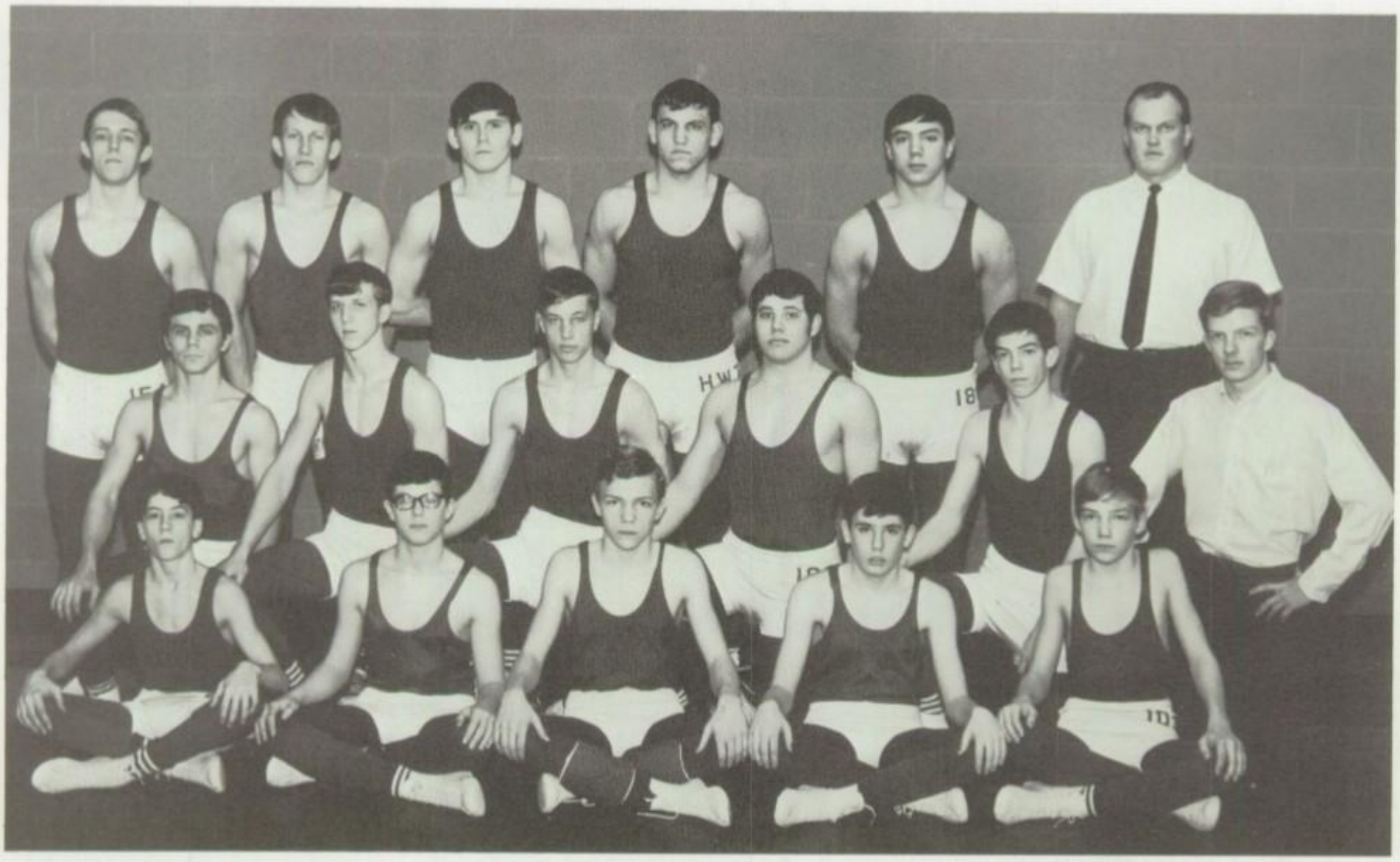
B-Squad Record

| Royals | Opp. | |
|---|---|---|
| 2 | 1 | Central |
| 6 | 1 | Red River |
| 3 | 0 | Grafton |
| 3 | 0 | Fargo South |
| 0 | 5 | Central |
| 4 | 2 | Fargo North |
| 1 | 3 | East Grand Forks |
| 4 | 0 | Grafton |
| 3 | 0 | Red River |
| 2 | 4 | Crookston Cath. |
| 0 | 0 | East Grand Forks |
| 2 | 2 | Crookston Cath. |
| 4 | 0 | Fargo South |
| 1 | 1 | Fargo North |

# Matmen Place 3 on All-City; One in State

Blood, sweat and tears seemed to be the thing for the Royal grapplers. With a poor turnout, the mat-rats made the best of everything they had. Anywhere from 5 to 20 points were given up due to forfeits in each meet. Halfway through the season state-bound Pat Tupa hurt his knee and never regained his form. There were bright spots though. In regional tourneys Bill Schmisek won 4th, Kevin Kilgore and Pat Tupa 3rd, and Pat Simmers 1st. Simmers went on to cop 3rd in the State meet. All city honors went to Pat Simmers, Kevin Kilgore and Pat Tupa.

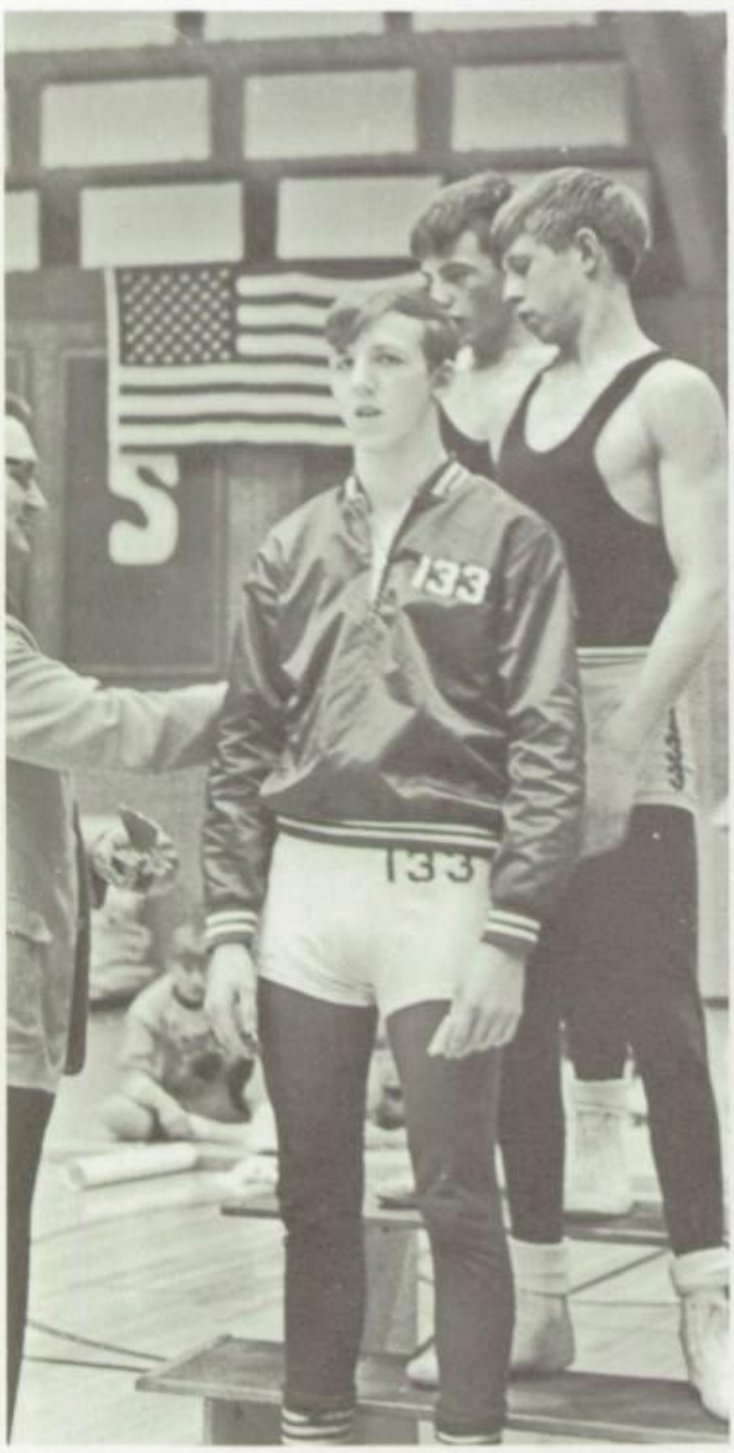
Pat Simmers accepts his blue ribbon for winning first place in the heavyweight division of the regional tournament.



The Royals 1968-69 wrestling team members are: BACK ROW-Bill Schmisek, Mike McLean, Gary Mozinski, Pat Simmers, Dave Blue, and Coach Gary Benson. MIDDLE ROW-Pat Tupa, Pete O'Neill, Steve Cooley, Rory Cunningham, Kevin Kilgore, and Steve Lund. FRONT ROW-Tim Kilgore, John Bulger, Jerry Schmisek, John Kosanda, and Tim Lund.

Pete O'Neill tries to pin his opponent.

Pat Tupa accepts third place honors for the 120 lb. weight division in the North-eastern Dakota Conference.




Pete O'Neill takes the stand and accepts the trophy for third place in the North-eastern Dakota Conference.

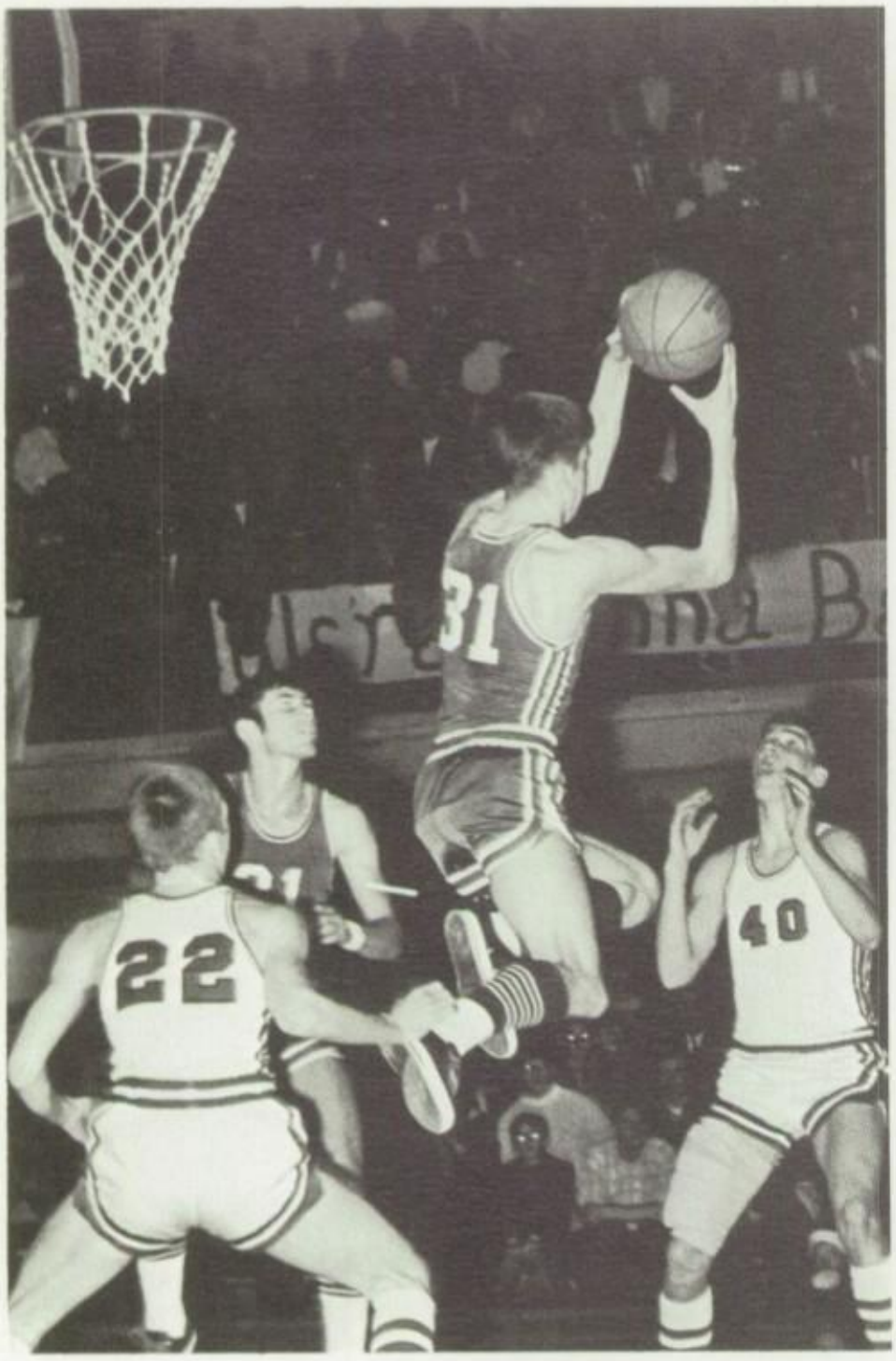
Kevin Kilgore uses his head.

The Royal Basketball team, FRONT L-R: Assistant Coach Rick Cornell, Mike Montgomery, Bill Jackson, Gary Schill, Mike Buckley, Phil Meyer, Denny Blackmun. BACK: Assistant Coach Gary Thune, Jack Callaghan, Ben Parkos, Bruce Daucsavage, Tim Rerick, Phil Reilly, Dave Kennedy, Head Coach Al Bortke and Assistant Coach Roger Wallentine.

# Royals Chase To 2nd in NE, 2nd in State

The final edition of Royal Basketball was quite a story. Pre-season forecasts saw St. James as chasers in the NE region. The Royals got off to a fast start winning 11 of their first 13 games. Disaster then struck with 5 losses in the last 7 outings. In district tournaments, the Royals nailed down 2nd place, and went on to the state tourney. The first two nights saw the Royals running past Williston and Fort Yates to the championship game. Unfortunately the opposition was Red River and the Royals came out on the short end. The season saw Mike Montgomery make the All-State, All-EDC, All-Tournament, and All-City teams. Gary Schill made the All Tournament team and Bill Jackson and Bruce Daucsavage made the All-City team. Not bad for chasers!

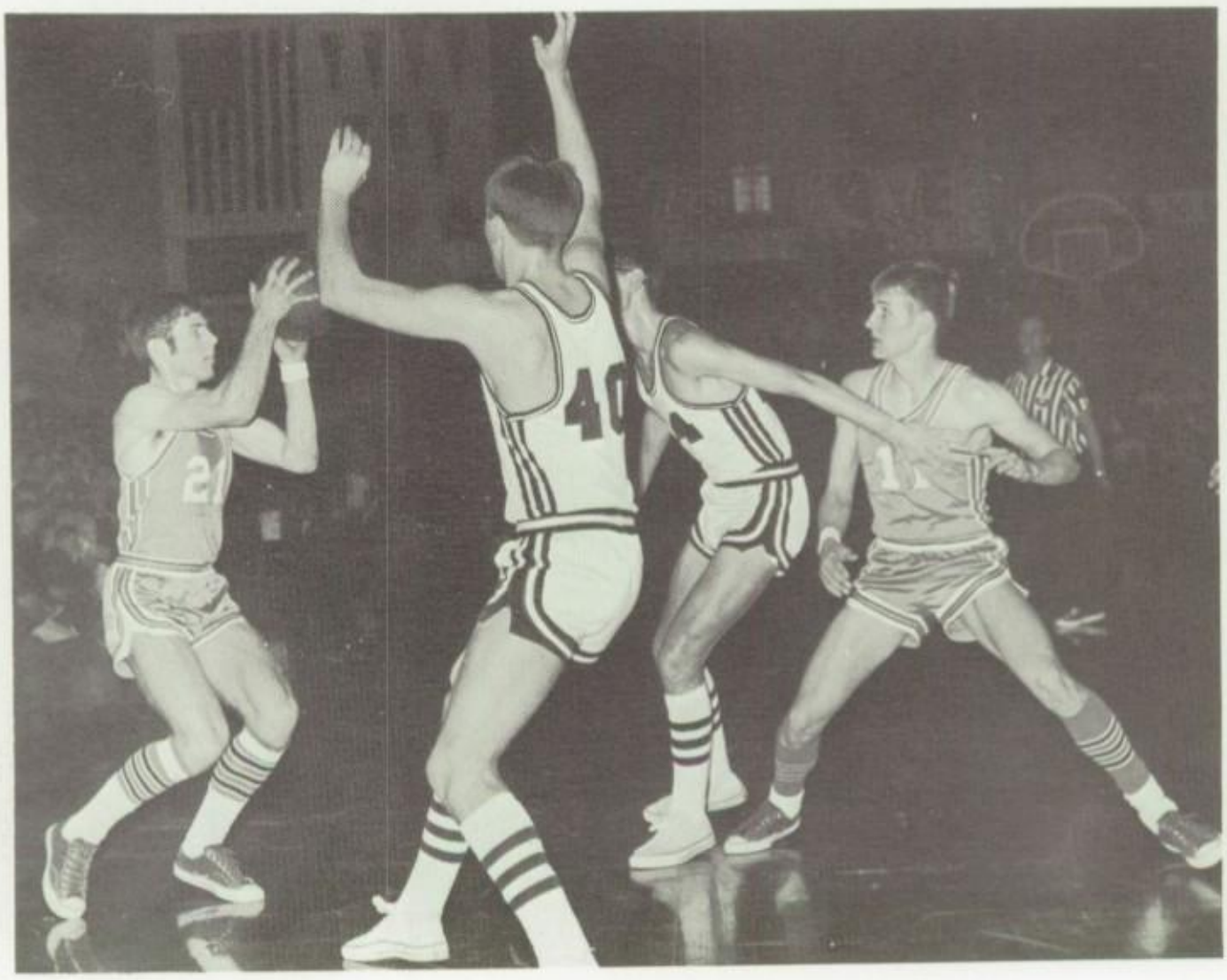
Mike Montgomery gets a shot off against Red River in the state tournament.



"It just got away from me," Mike Buckley could be saying.

Gary Schill flies through the air to get this rebound.

Bill Jackson looks to Bruce Daucsavage for help.



TOURNAMENT SCORES

| SJH | OPPOSITION DISTRICT | |
|---|---|---|
| 75 | 63 | Devils Lake |
| 55 | 50 | Central |
| 48 | 58 | Red River |
| | STATE | |
| 73 | 70 | Williston |
| 72 | 67 | Fort Yates |
| 52 | 70 | Red River |

Dave Kennedy tries to outrace Eaglestaff of Fort Yates during the wild flurry to get into the state championship game.

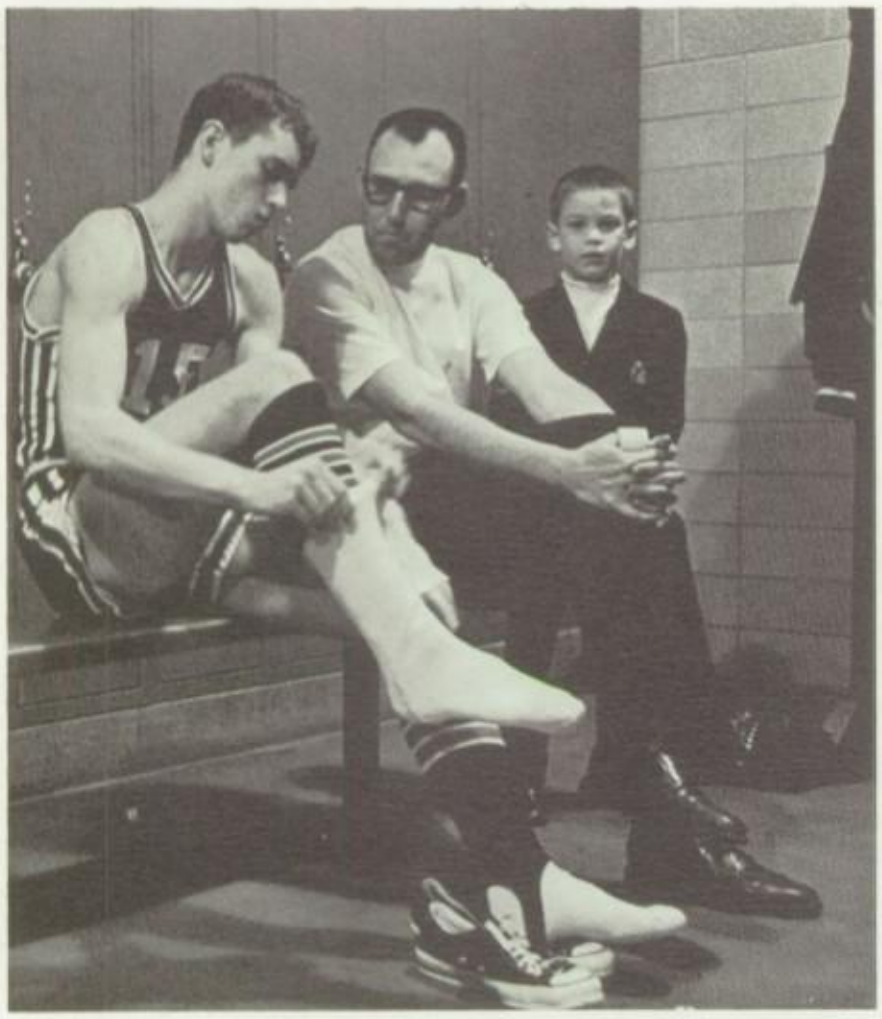
Jennie Abar jumps for joy during State Tournaments.

Season Record

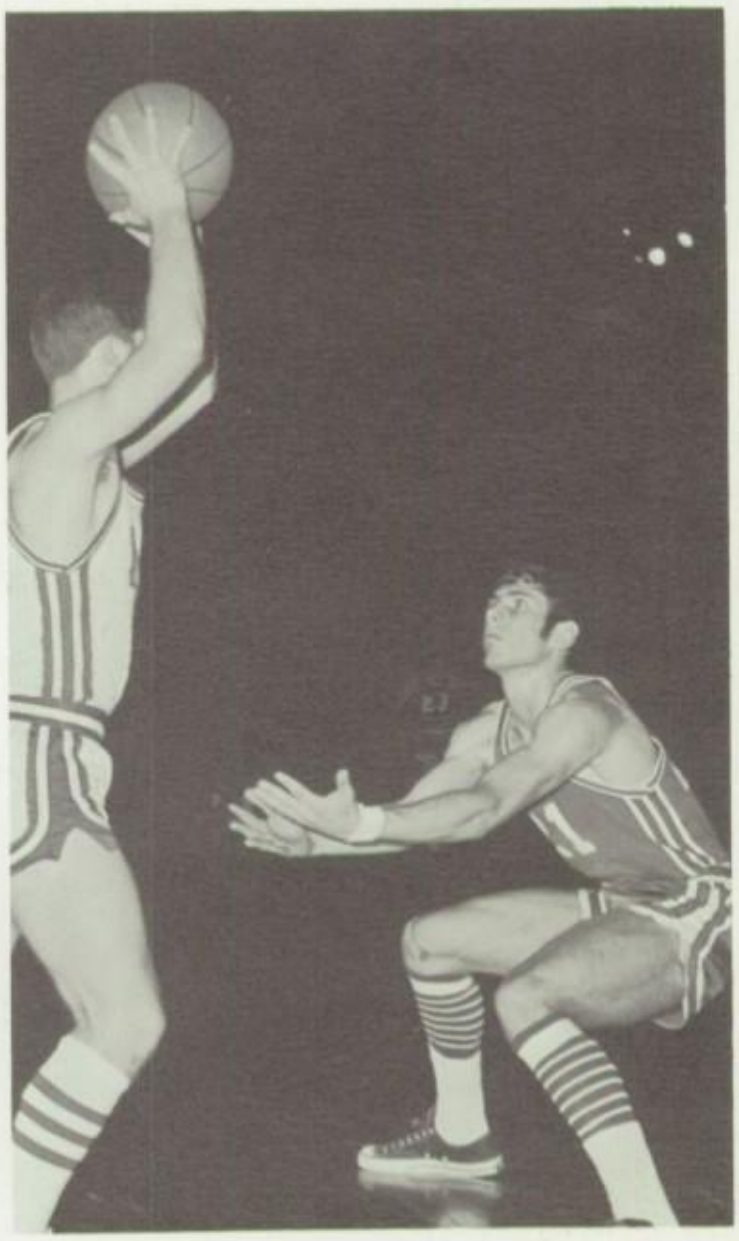
| ROYALS | | OPPOSITION |
|---|---|---|
| 79 | 57 | Sacred Heart |
| 83 | 37 | Carrington |
| 69 | 61 | Grafton |
| 63 | 56 | Red River |
| 48 | 49 | Fargo South |
| 66 | 45 | Central |
| 78 | 55 | Fargo Shanley |
| 56 | 59 | Jamestown |
| 106 | 78 | Devils Lake |
| 82 | 65 | Grafton |
| 60 | 57 | Fargo North |
| 72 | 64 | Fargo South |
| 76 | 66 | Bismarck St. Mary's |
| 40 | 51 | Red River |
| 69 | 70 | Central |
| 69 | 73 | Jamestown |
| 84 | 70 | East Grand Forks |
| 73 | 64 | Fargo North |
| 59 | 84 | Minot |
| 62 | 72 | Fargo Shanley |

Muscleman Phil Meyer lays one up against the Deacons.

Royal spirit shines over Shanley.

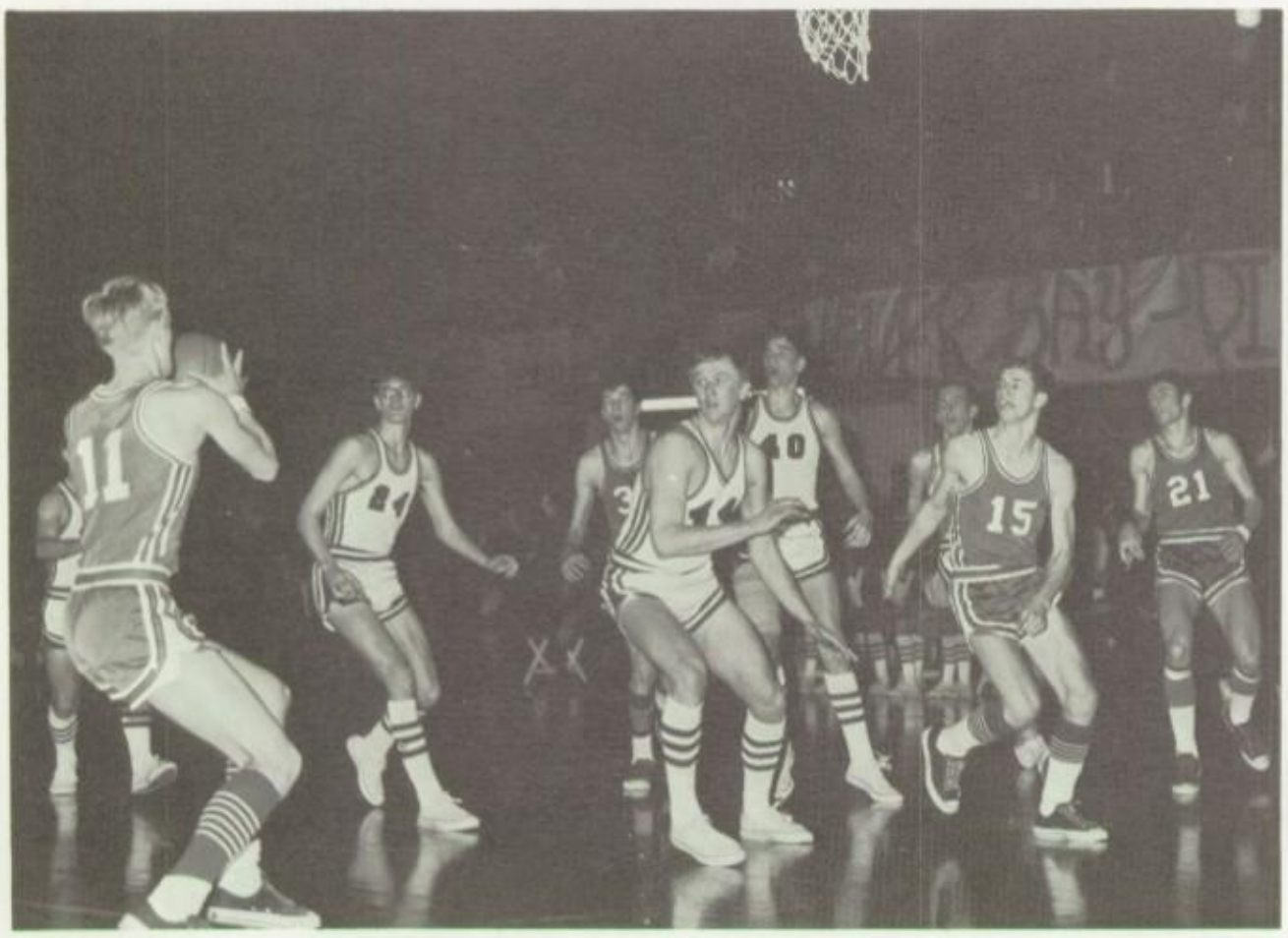


Mr. Bortke talks things over with Mike Montgomery before the state championship game.

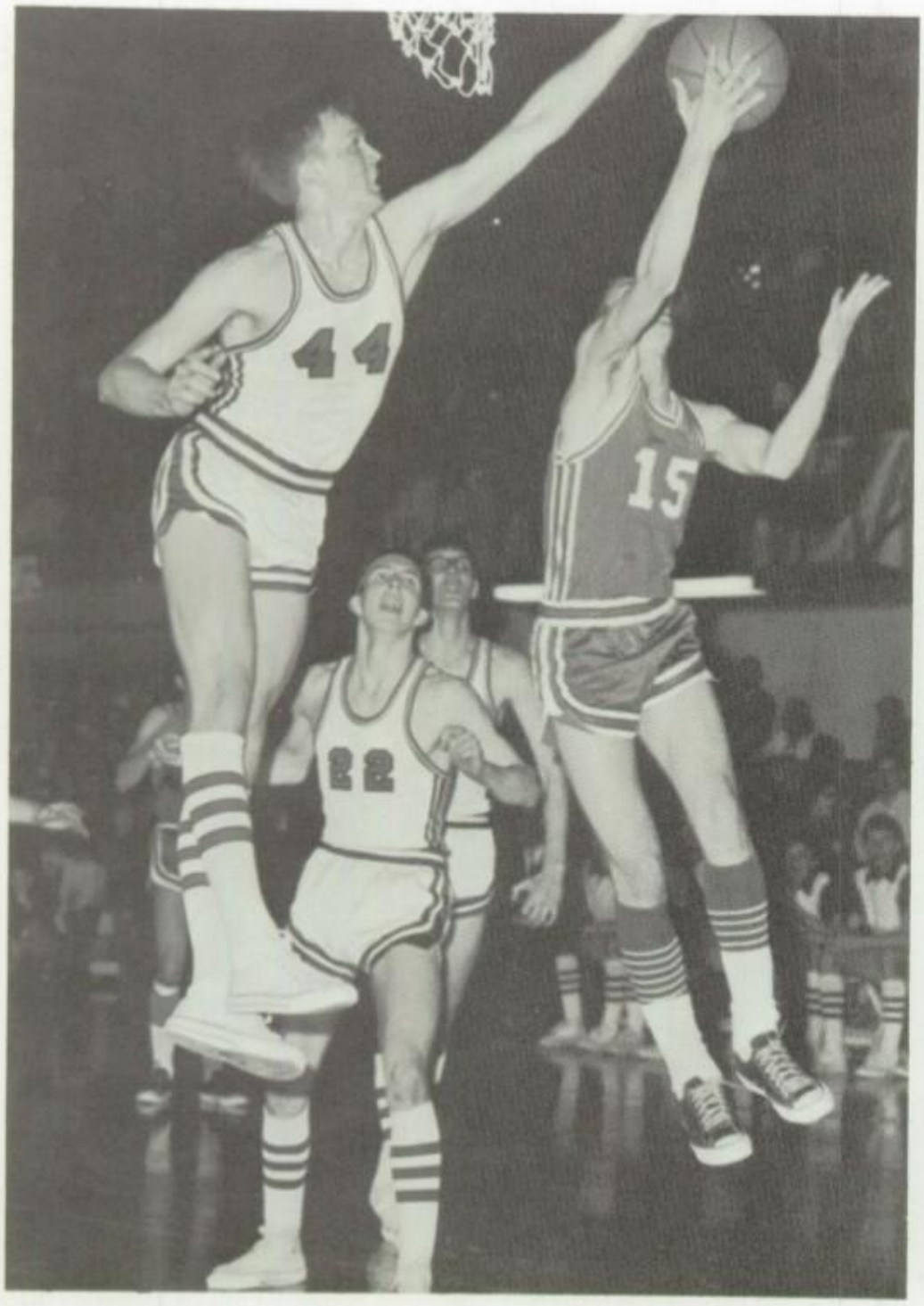


Bill Jackson taunts a Red River opponent.

Happiness is getting into the state championship game.




Bruce Daucsavage attempts a shot amidst the tension of the final game.




The story of the season-too much Reed Monson.

Todd Bortke cheers the Royals on.

The Royal reserves do their stuff against Fargo Shanley as the Royal Knight reigns.

The ball seems to be quite elusive in this action against Sacred Heart.

This echoes the feelings of many Royals who believe that they're Number 1 in spirit, too.

Tense - that's how to describe these faces.

# J-V Chalks up 10 Wins in 18 Starts

The Junior Varsity for 1968-69 are: STANDING-Coach Roger Wallentine, Tom Fetsch, Jim Capes, Jim Walford, Rod Richter, Larry Simmers, Scott Rerick. KNEELING-Geary Yaeger, Dave Plattes, Ron Kulas, Al Deraney, Mike Davis.

JUNIOR VARSITY

| ROYALS | | OPPOSITION |
|---|---|---|
| 39 | 21 | Sacred Heart |
| 74 | 39 | Carrington |
| 54 | 52 | Grafton |
| 32 | 64 | Red River |
| 46 | 66 | Fargo South |
| 47 | 52 | Central |
| 45 | 63 | Fargo Shanley |
| 40 | 39 | Jamestown |
| 73 | 30 | Devils Lake |
| 58 | 71 | Grafton |
| 47 | 43 | Fargo North |
| 62 | 67 | Fargo South |
| 31 | 56 | Red River |
| 54 | 53 | Central |
| 42 | 56 | Jamestown |
| 66 | 65 | East Grand Forks |
| 55 | 59 | Fargo North |
| 61 | 57 | Fargo Shanley |

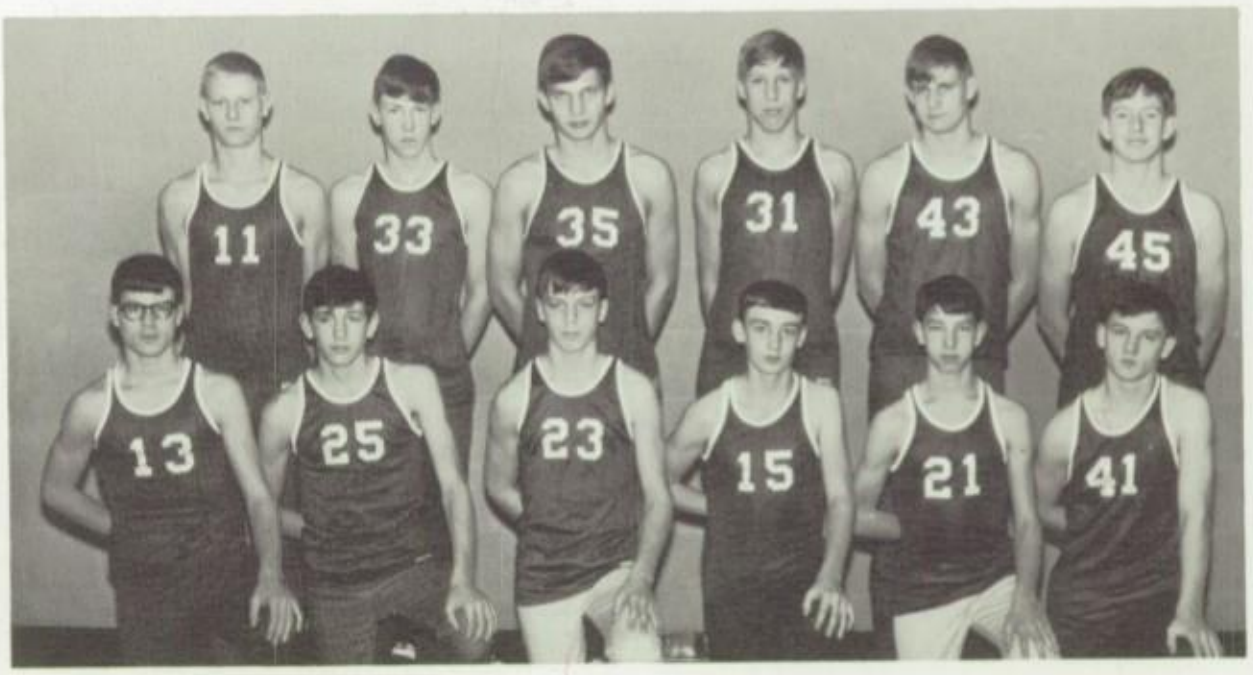
Jim Capes shoots a free throw against Central's Junior Varsity.

Rod Richter prepares to jump in the Junior Varsity game against Red River.

Geary Yaeger gets a shot off against the Redskin J.V.

# Sophomores Struggle to 2-9 Mark

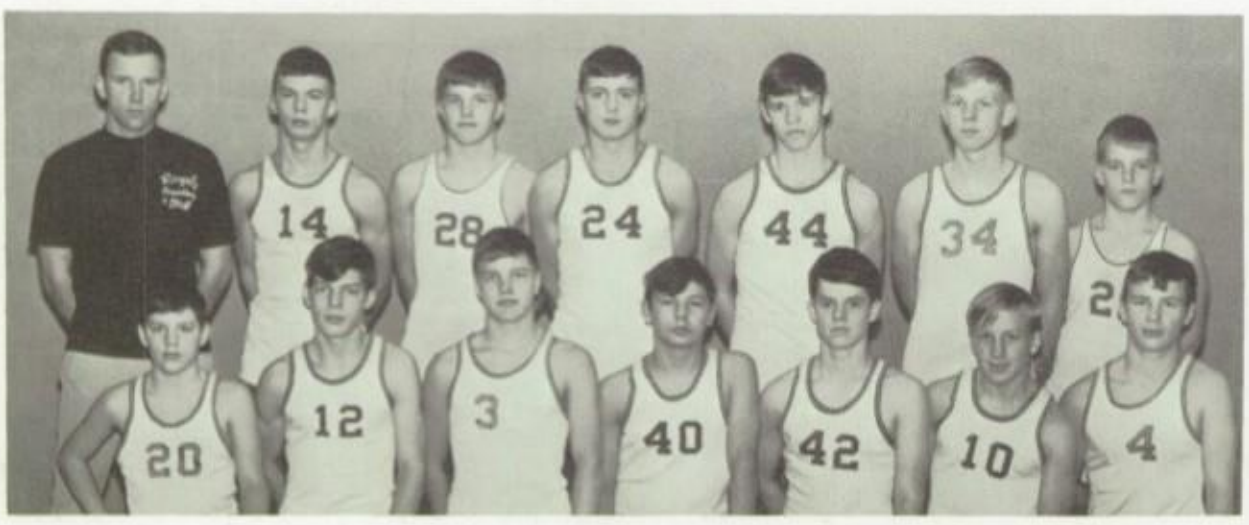
The sophomore basketball team had its troubles this season. They played Red River 5 times which didn't help their record much. The two wins came against Sacred Heart early in the season and Central in the sophomore tournament. There was also a disputed win over the Senior All-Stars which didn't go into the books.




The B-Squad for 1968-69 are: BACK ROW-Frank LeBlanc, Dan Storey, Randy Ekren, Jeff Hauser, Dan Samson, Tom Glimsdahl. FRONT ROW-Tom Gilmous, Randy Hansen, Bob Miller, Mike Quirk, Jerry Murray, Ed Endres.

Tim Rerick takes the ball down court.

Frosh action during their tournament.




The Freshmen for 1968-69 are: STANDING-Mike Roufs, Robin Senger, Bob Miller, Ralph Hutton, Bob Parkos, Bob Buckley. KNEELING- Greg Kalenze, Ron Swangler, Rich Senger, Jim Horski, Tim Whalen, Mike Kearns, Gary Rogalla.

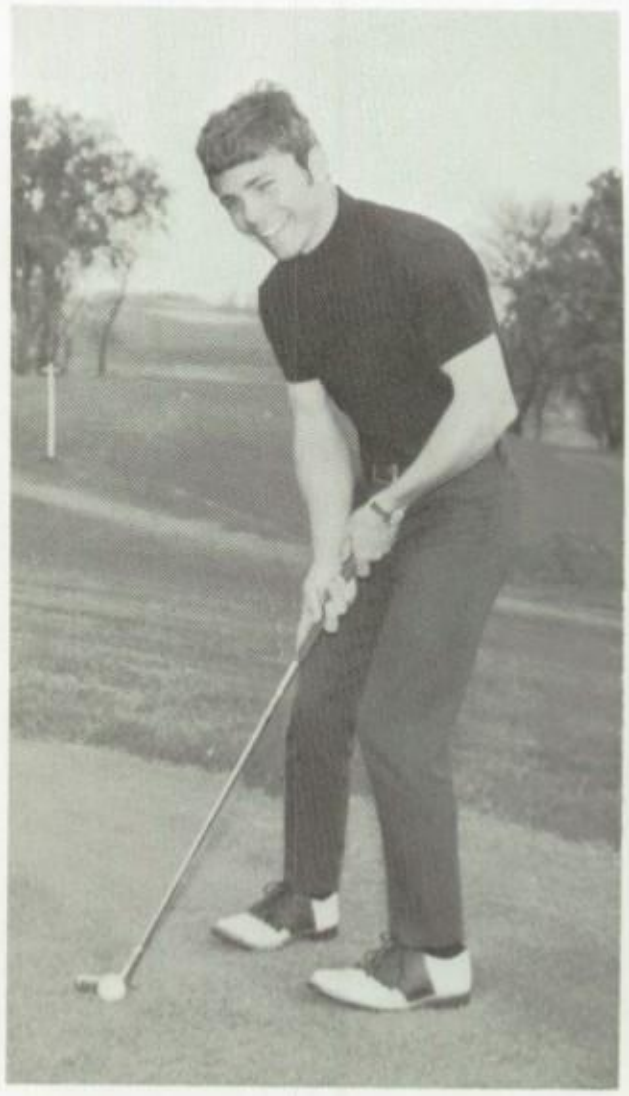
# Frosh Miss .500 but 4-5 Is Close

The Freshman squad didn't quite reach the .500 mark but they did manage to win the Frosh tourney staged here at St. James. In doing so they ousted Sacred Heart in the first round and downed Grafton in the finals. The flashy ballhandling of Greg Kalenze made some games quite interesting.

Varsity golf team: Frank Tupa, Dave Lamb, Bruce Daucsavage, coach Gary Thune, Geary Yaeger, Tim Coleman, and Pat Tupa.

# Hand Work Pays Off 3rd in EDA

The '69 golf season got off to a slow start due to the floodwaters of the Red River. Team members got sand for the Country Club and helped clean the course off so there would be someplace to play besides Lincoln's six dry holes. The work payed off as the Royals finished 3rd in the EDA meet which was held at the Country Club and 8th in the State meet which was changed from the inundated Lincoln Park course to the Country Club.



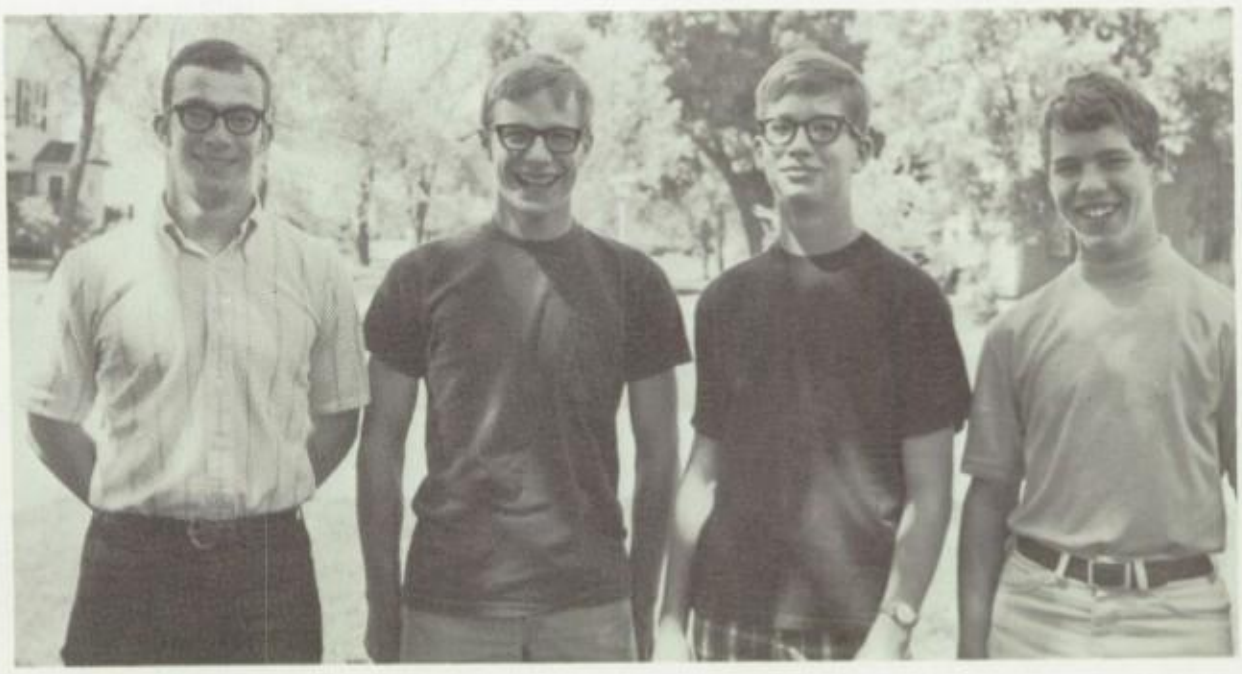
Pat Tupa works on his putting before the state meet.

Bruce Daucsavage loosens up before a meet.

Geary Yaeger tees off as Tim Coleman and Frank Tupa look on.

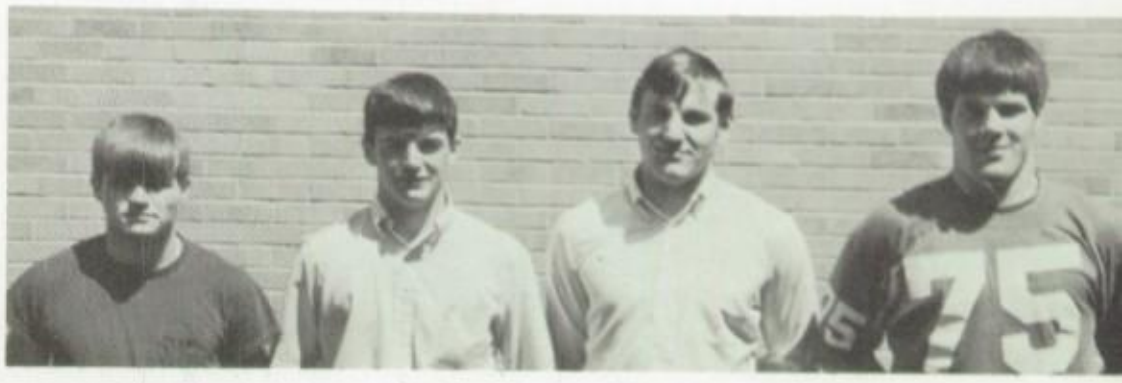
Dave Lamb hits an approach shot in the state tournament.

Frank Tupa puts a little extra into this shot.



J-V golfers: Jim Haigh, Mark Jackson, Tim Lamb, and Greg McDonald. Missing are Jeff Hauser and Jerry Murray.

A portion of the varsity track team; FIRST ROW: Dave Kennedy, Bill Donley, Tim Ewals, Dennis Fall, Tim Ballou, Tom Gilmour. BACK ROW: Tom Ballou, Jerry Meagher, Pat Simmers, Phil Meyer, Brad Kartes, Bob Miller, and Coach Roger Wallentine.



Statebound Royal Tracksters: Dave Kennedy, Jerry Meagher, Pat Simmers and Phil Meyer. Missing are: Bill Jackson, Mike Lundby and Dennis Blackmun.

# Trackmen, Harriers Attain Goals

When cross-country started, Coach Bortke thought that a finish in the first 10 team-wise in the state meet would be good. As it was, the team finished 5th and captain Denny Blackmun finished 10th individually --a whopping success for the harriers. The Royal track season started with a small turnout, but it was soon proven that quality is better than quantity. Led by speedster Bill Jackson, the Royals nailed down 3rd place in the District and sent seven men to the state meet in Valley City.

Harriers Dennis Blackmun and Larry Lamb near the finish line.

Coach Jim Melhouse gathers team members together before departing for Fargo.

# Netters Cop 4th in E.D.A., 5th in State

The Royal tennis team hit the courts for their final season with a good nucleus from last year's squad. As a matter of fact 4 out of 5 had varsity experience from the '68 campaign. The lone exception was John Wynne who picked up valuable points as number three singles man. Working hard with coach Jim Melhouse, the netters snatched 4th in the EDA meet and 5th in the state meet. The doubles team picked up most of the points, but singles men John Kosanda, Doug Hiney, and John Wynne chipped in with their share of the points.

Doubles team of Tom Miller and John Coleman discuss their strategy for the next tennis meet.

Royal Tennis team: John Kosanda, Tom Miller, Doug Hiney, John Coleman, and John Wynne.

# People We Know

ATHLETIC
BOARD

Father Robert Sauter, Principal, RIGHT, and Mr. Gary Thune, Assistant Principal, LEFT, discuss the scheduling for Creativity Week.

# SJH Staff Encourages Excellence

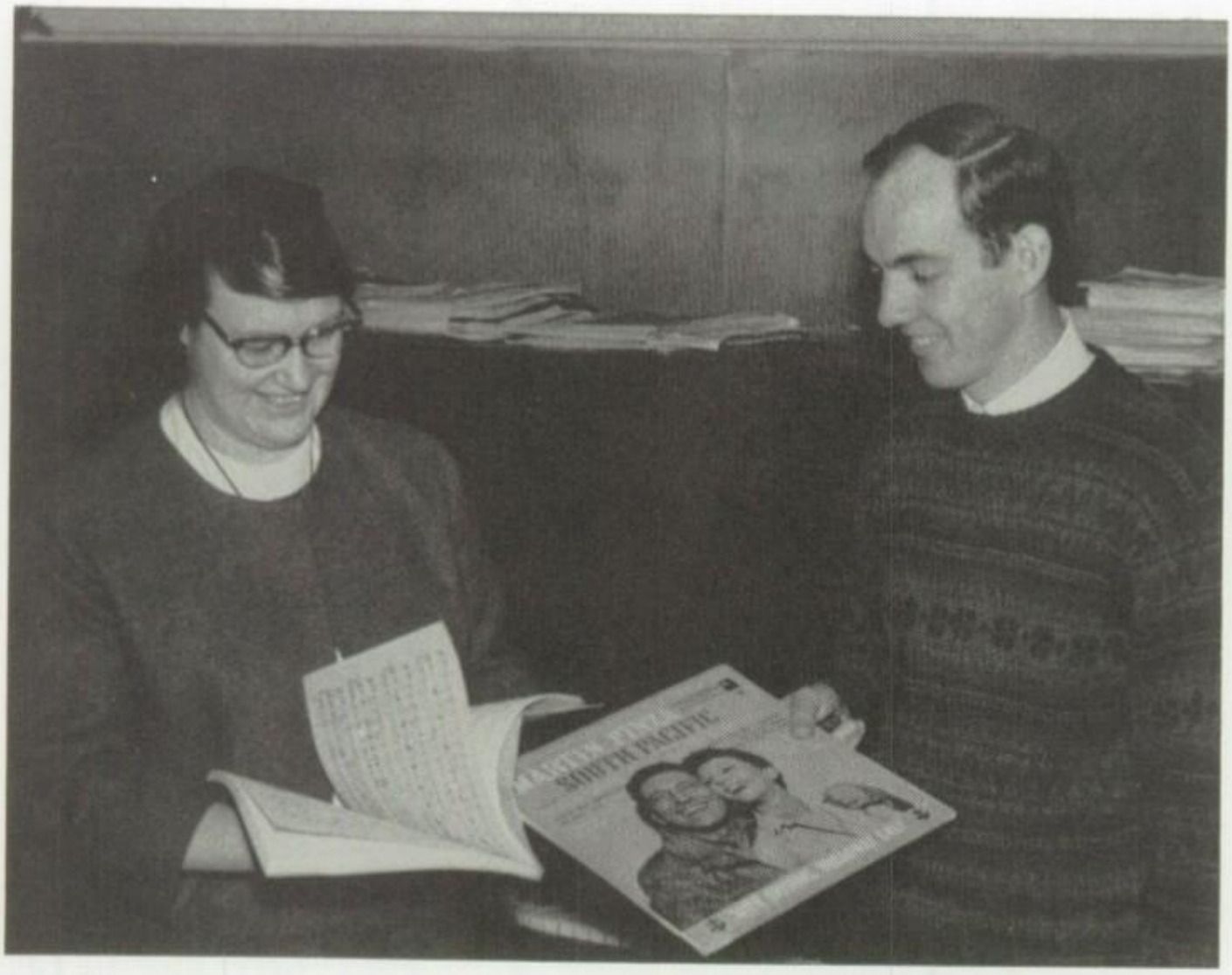
The faculty of St. James through their interest in the students have helped to make St. James the spirited school it is. They have backed the students in academic and athletic endeavors throughout the year by teaching, working with clubs, supervising sign painting, coaching and cheering at games, and congratulating students in victory and standing by them in defeat in all areas of school life. The faculty also has done a lot for St. James by the way they've worked together. Through all this, they've helped raise the level of education that students received in 1968-69.

Mrs. Maxine Rasmussen and Father Kenneth Knoke, counselors, look over the Iowa test scores for the Juniors.

Mrs. Veronica Eccles, school secretary, prepares to type up the morning bulletin.

Father Ken Gallagher and Father Robert Sauter celebrate the Golden Mass before Christmas.

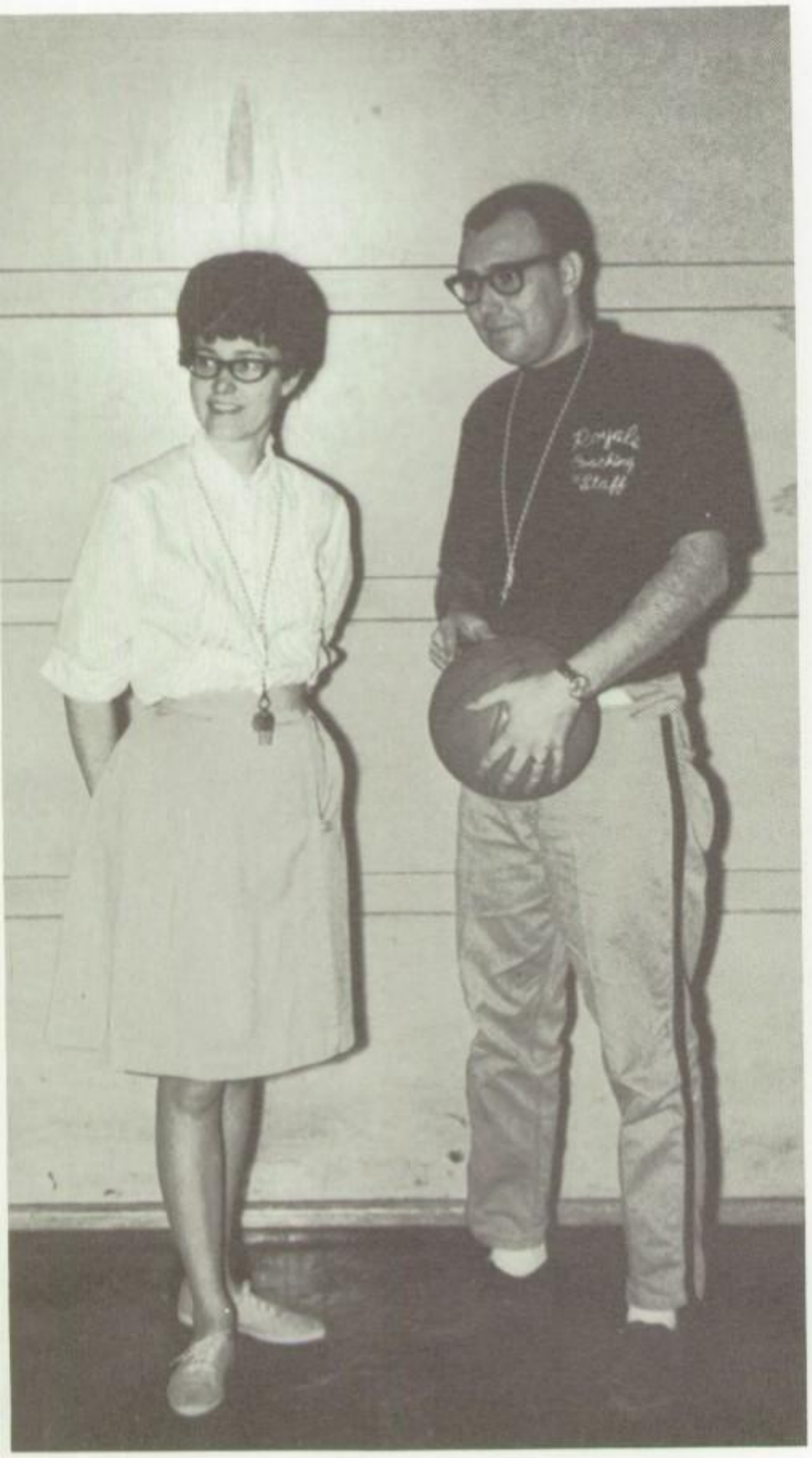
The Religion Department: Sister Nancy, Sister Jean O'Toole, Sister Susan, and Father Ken Gallagher, discuss plans for the retreat. Father Marvin Korman is also a member of the Religion Department and was out of town at the time of this meeting.



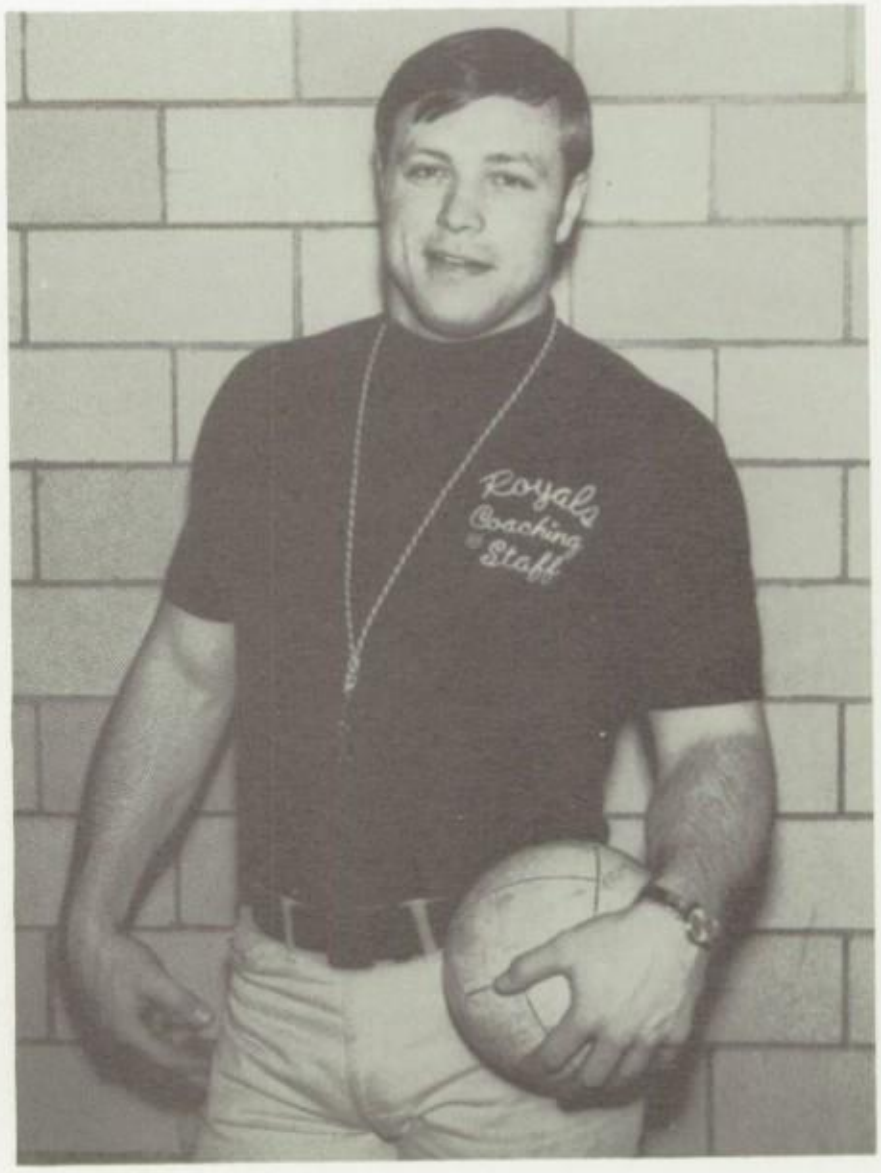

Sister Elizabeth Ann, Glee Club director, and Mrs. William Eckroth, band director, make arrangements for the school play, SOUTH PACIFIC.

The custodians, Mr. Dick Bjerk and Mr. Ben Bailey, check gauges in the boiler room.

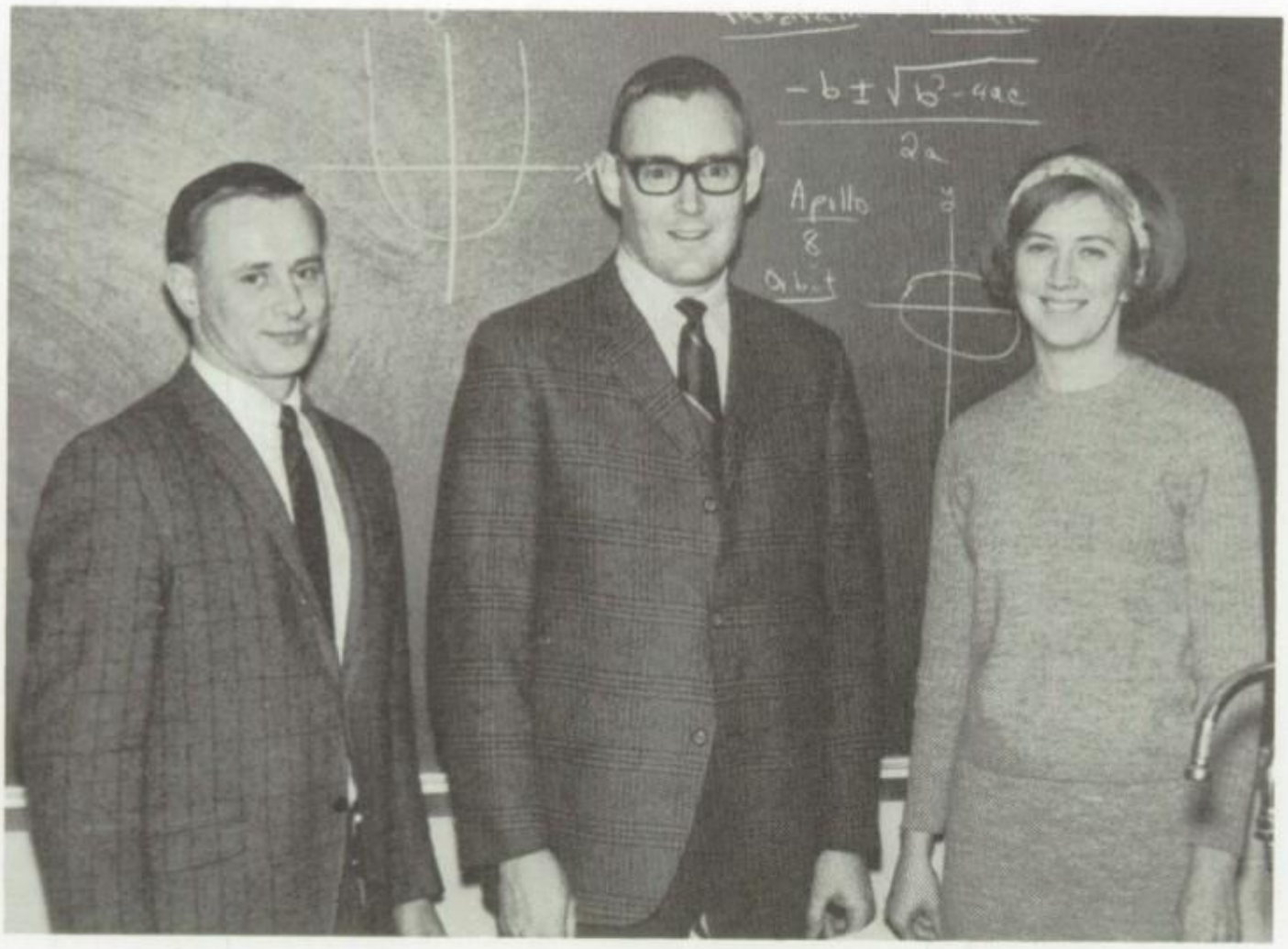
Sister Louis Joseph, audio-visual supervisor, checks to see when the movie projectors are going to be used.



With critical eyes, the physical education teachers, Mrs. Boyd and Mr. Bortke observe basketball practice.



Mr. John Anderson takes a break between his boys' physical education classes.




Mathematics teachers, Mr. Roger Wallantine, Mr. Gary Thune and Mrs. Mary Loyland, pause while working out the orbit of Apollo 8 mathematically.

Mr. Gary Benson, Sister Jean O'Toole, and Sister Elizabeth Anne decide what chemicals they will need for their next science experiments.

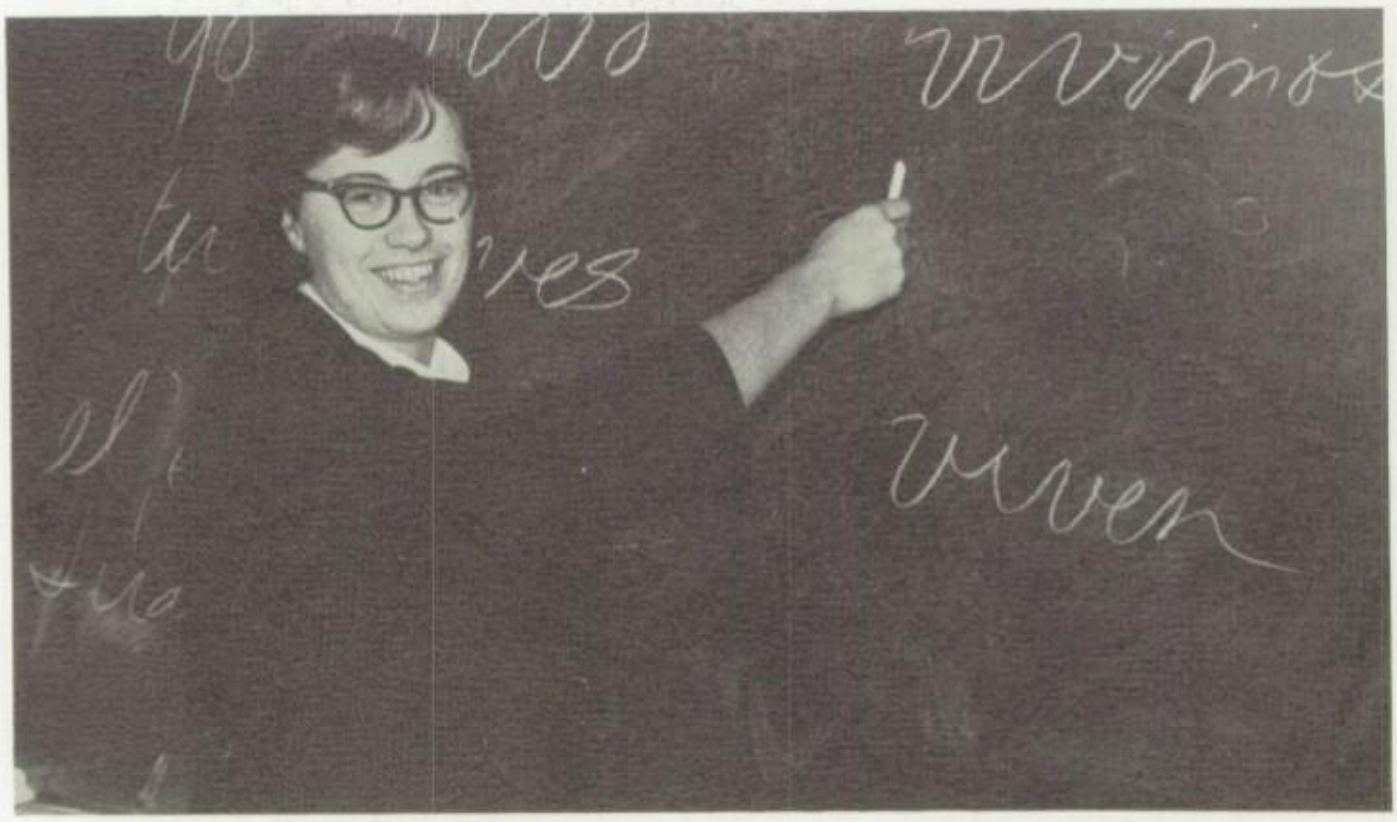
Social studies department members: Sister Constance Marie, Sister Ann, Sister Irene, and Mr. Jack Brown look over the STUDENT WEEKLY at a department meeting.

Mrs. Maxine Rasmussen, home economics teacher, talks with Patty Laney as she threads the sewing machine.

Sister John Gregory, librarian, and Juanita Morgan, library aide, review how to index magazines.

Sister Miriam Claire, French teacher, and Mrs. Maria Harper, who teaches French and German, choose the slides they will show to their French classes.

Sister Frances, Sister Christine, Sister Jean, and Mrs. Fischer discuss the merits of the current issue of the LITERARY CAVALCADE magazine.



Sister Susan, Spanish teacher, explains how to congugate the verb live to the Spanish I class.

Mrs. Boyd gives her Typing I class a five minute timing.

The faculty gathers in the home ec. room on Wednesday noon to have lunch together.

# SENIORS

Senior class officers for 1968-69 are, LEFT TO RIGHT: Jerry Miller, president; Gayle Hansen, secretary; Marilyn Dobson, treasurer; and Mike Lundby, vice-president.

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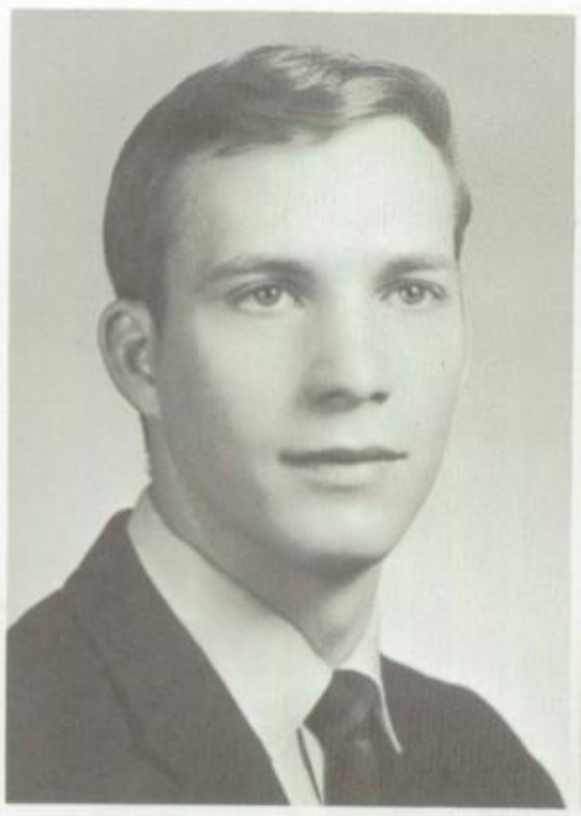

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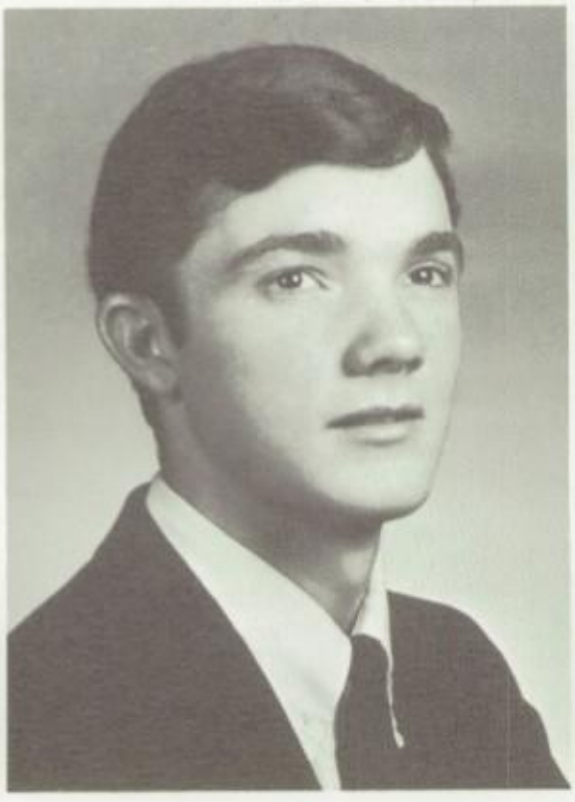

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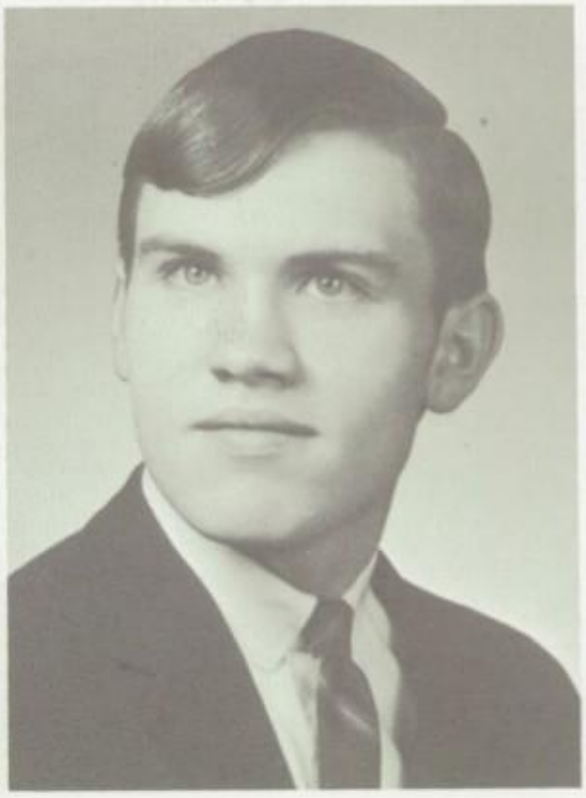

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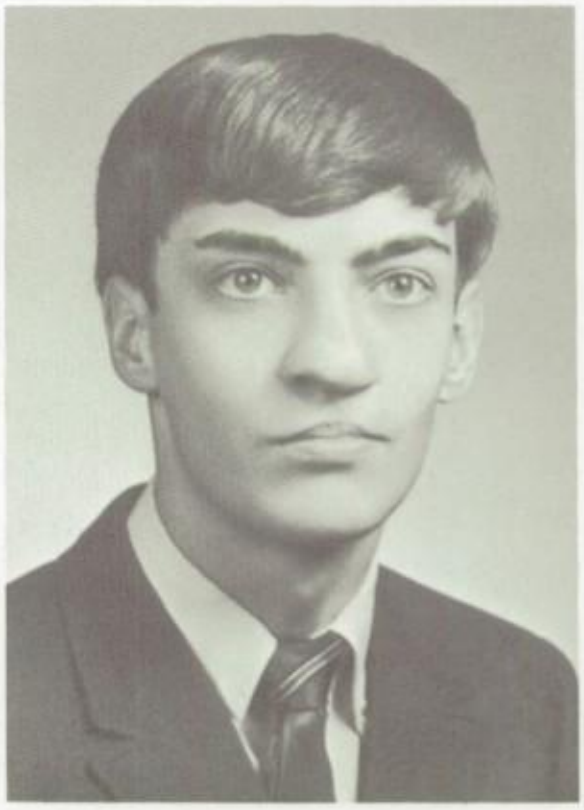

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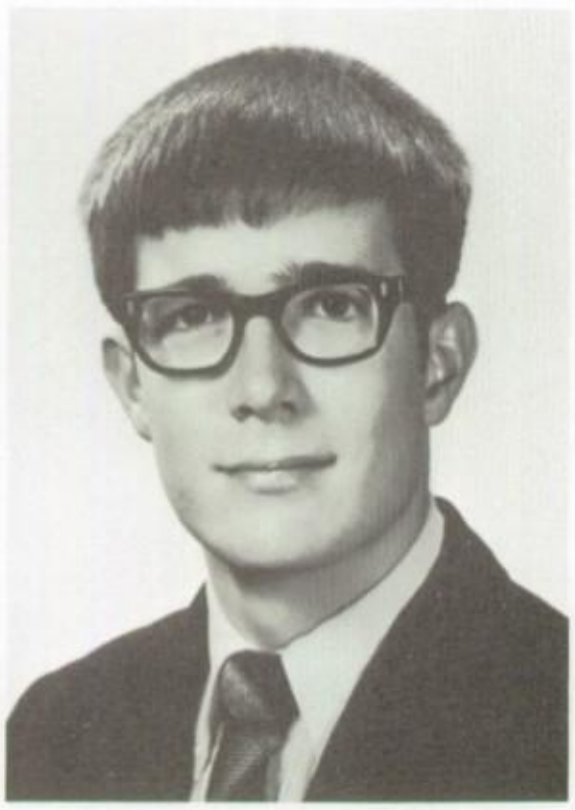

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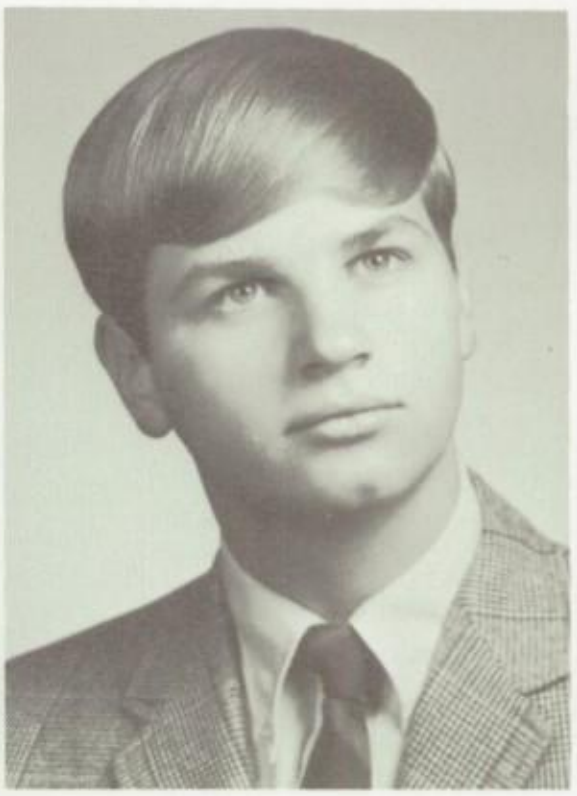

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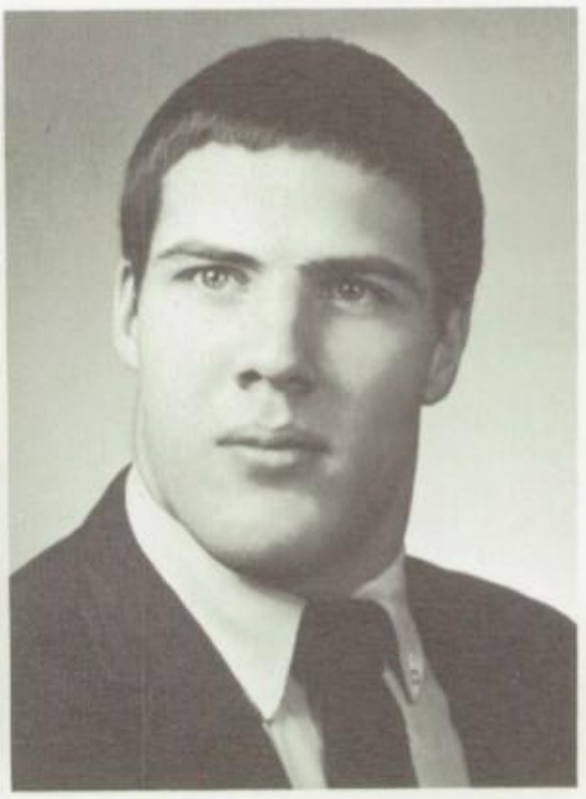

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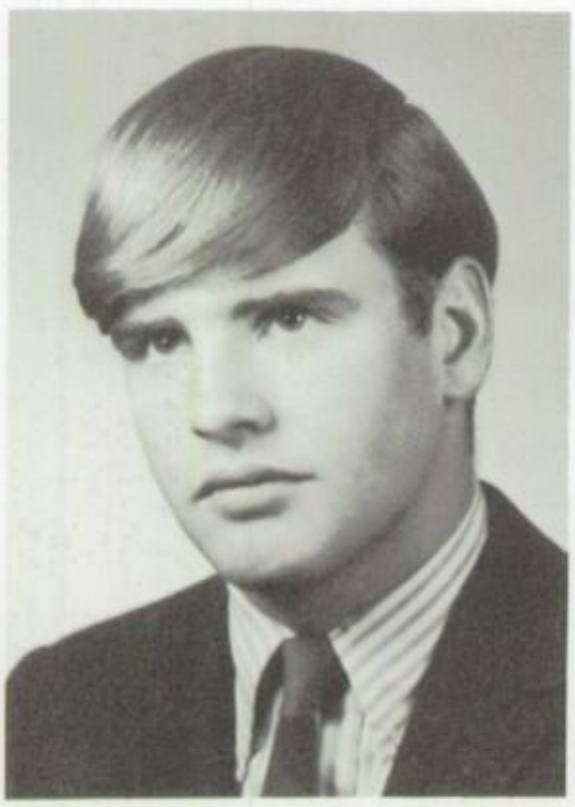

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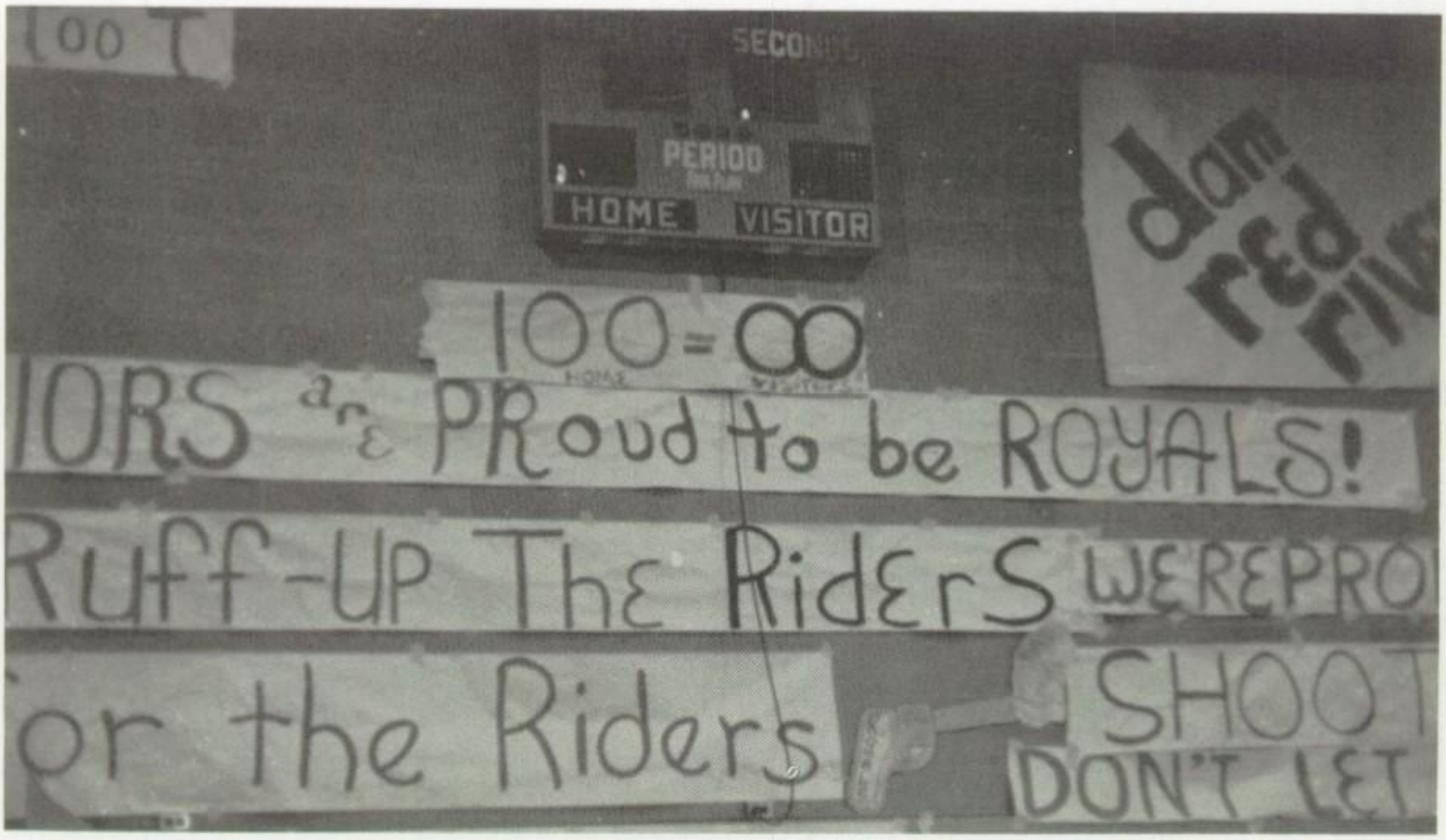
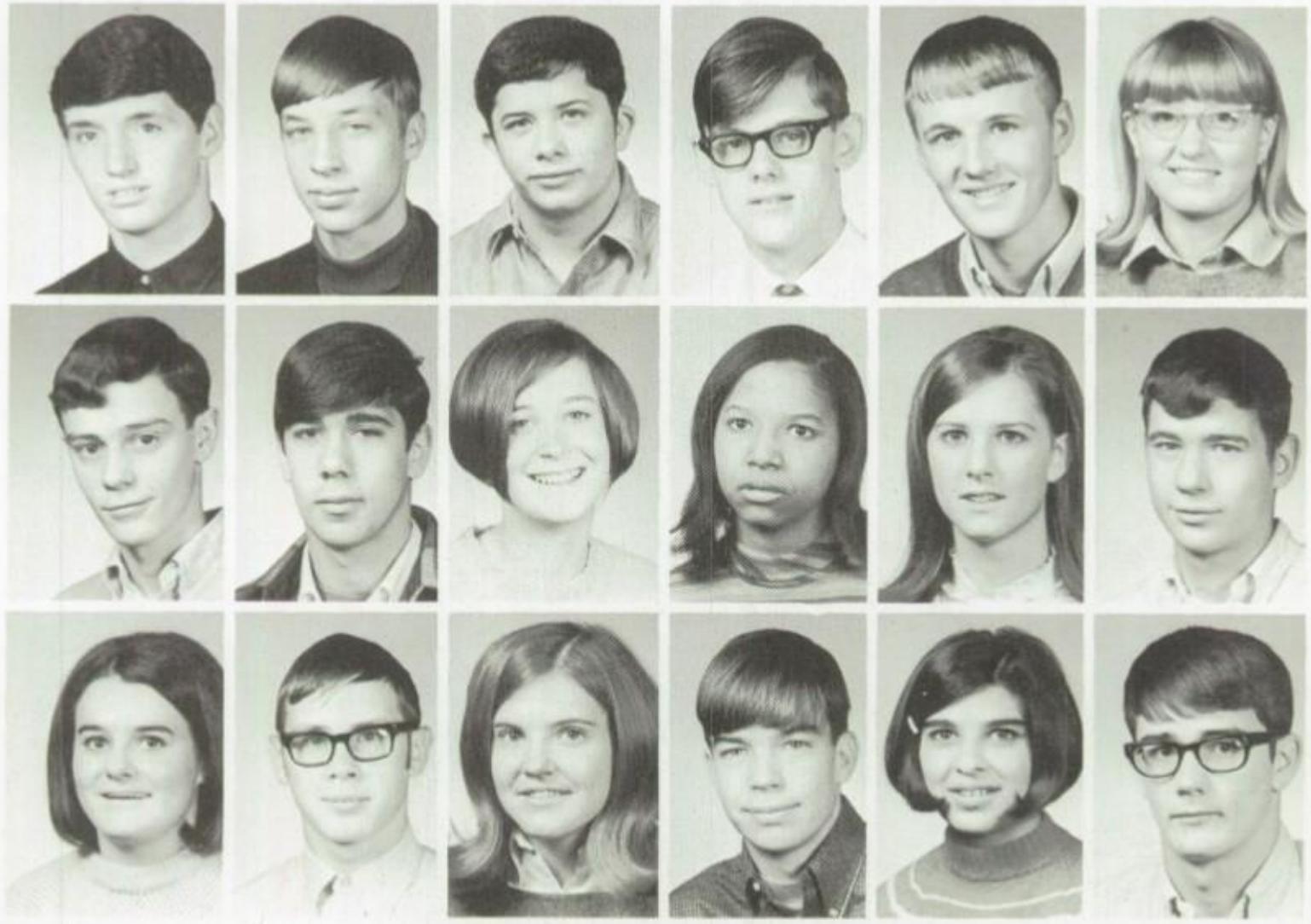
Diane Burris
Jim Capes
Ken Chaput




The Juniors' display of Royal Pride won the wall contest for the first Red River game.



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| John Coleman | Steve Cooley | Mark Cooper | Bob Czapiewski | Bruce Daucsavage | Madelyne Davis |
| Mike Davis | Alan Deraney | Nancy Dickson | Carrie Donley | Madonna Dorsher | Don Dubuque |
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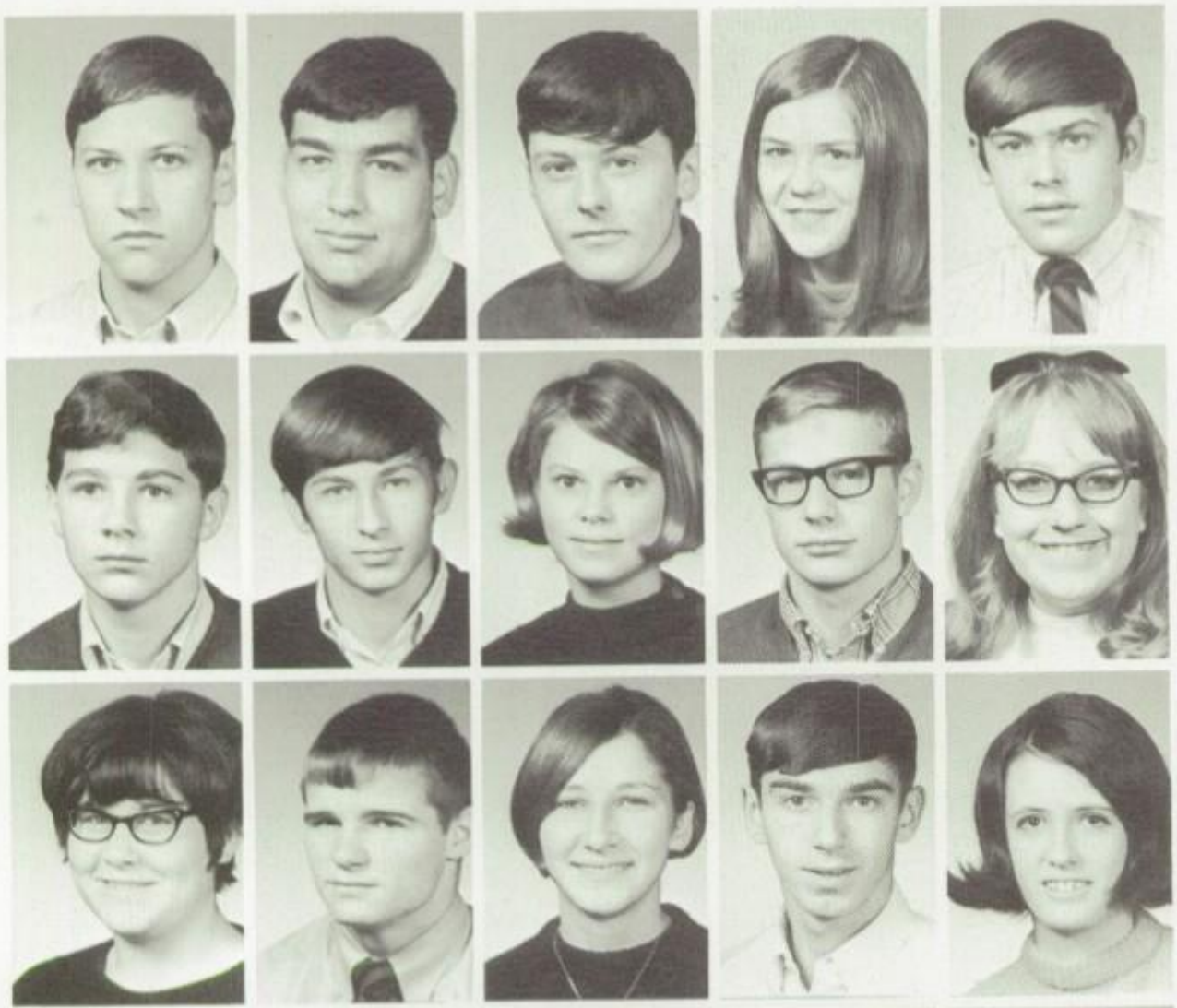

Tom Fetsch
Dennis Feist
Bernie Foltz
Kathy Garritson
Jack Grinde

Marty Haley
Bob Jackson
Kathy Jackson
Mark Jackson
Sandra Kearns

Kathy Kenna
Dave Kennedy
Michelle Kenville
Jim Kobetsky
Karen Kosanda

Dave Kresel
Arlene Kujawa
Ron Kulas
Berneda Kuntz
Bonnie LaMoine

Gary Laney
Judy Linneman
Barb Lundby
Warren Lykken
Mike McLean

Mike Mahowald
Rose Marynik
Jerry Meagher
Steve Mercil
Tom Miller

Jill Mondry
Nancy Monley
Susan Monley
Juanita Morgan
Gary Mozinski

Charlotte Nagle

Nancy Nienas

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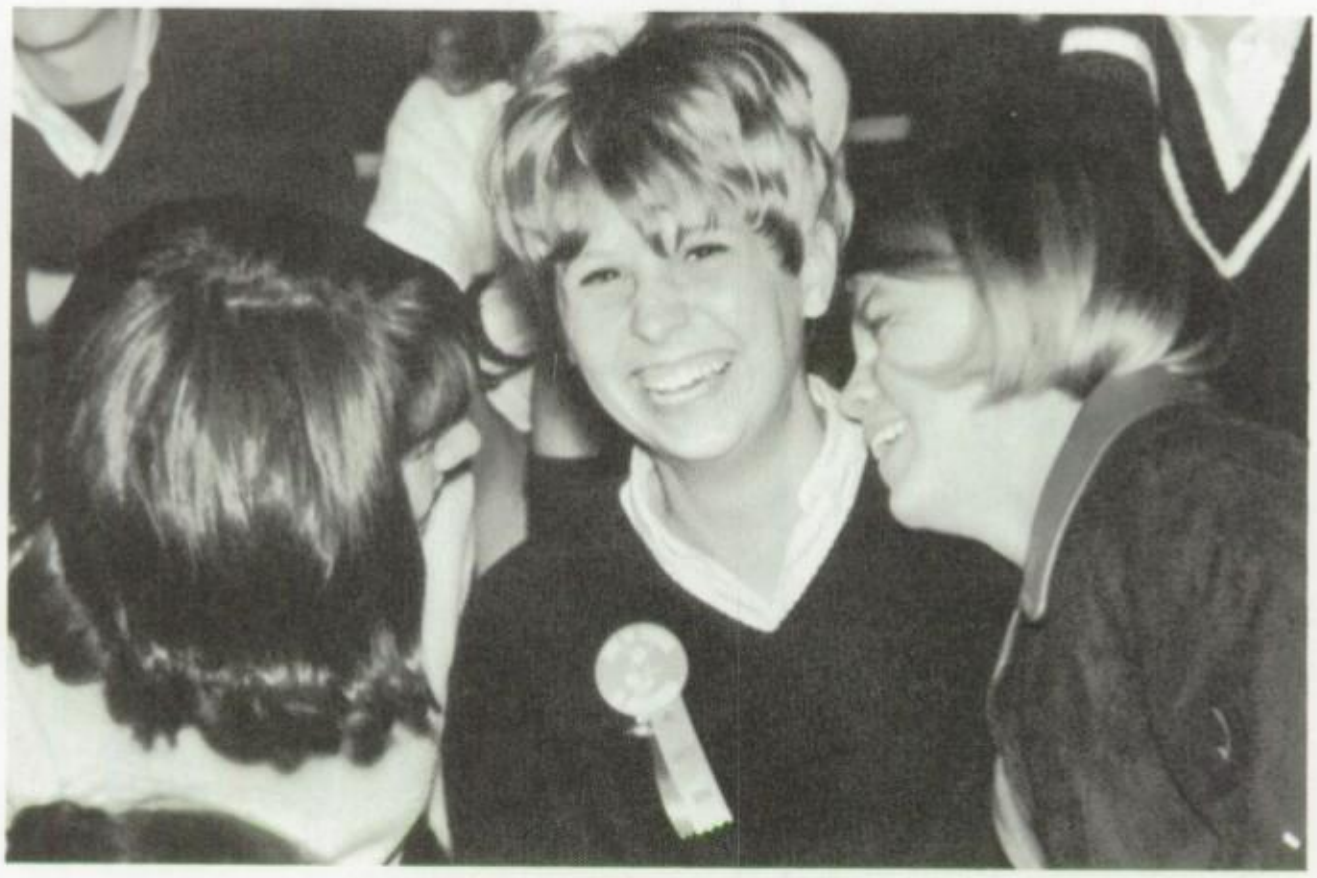

Cindy Absey and Kathy Jackson share Leigh Bohlman's excitement as she is announced junior attendant.

Lori Rasmussen

Sandy Ratzlaff

Lynne Reifschneider

Phil Reilly

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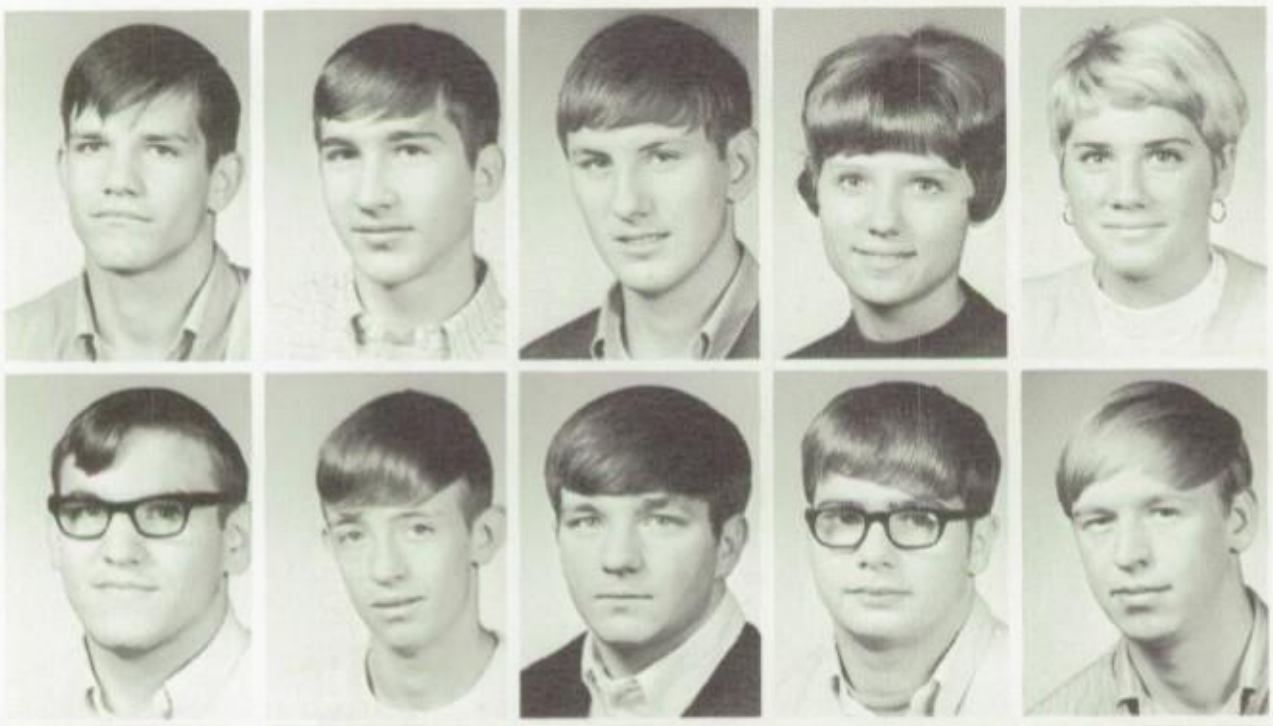
Jean Bohlman
Dale Fontaine
Julie McGurran
John Mellum
Colin Weist
Geary Yaeger

Junior advisors, Sister Nancy and Sister Constance Marie, count the money the Juniors made for prom selling refreshments at basketball games.

Not pictured:
Jean Bohlman
Dale Fontaine
Julie McGurran
John Mellum
Colin Weist
Geary Yaeger



Scott Rerick
Tim Rerick
Rod Richter
Marilyn Riske
Jan Schultz



Pat Simmers
Mark Sobolik
Randy Spitzer
Rich Stevens
Ed Stillinger

John Stoffel
Nancy Storey
Frank Tupa
Dave Vondrachek
Donna Waletzko

Jim Walford
Carol Widman
Barb Wilhelmi
Dale Wilhelmi
Pat Wynne

Arnie Wysocki
Terri Youngern
JoAnn Zerr

# SOPHOMORES

Sophomore class officers for 1968-69 are, LEFT TO RIGHT: Mary Jo McKinnon, secretary; Jan Nikle, treasurer; Greg McDonald, president; Maureen Roche, vice-president.

Susan Dobmeie
Vernon Dubuque
Shawn Dunlevy
Randy Ekren
Edward Endres
Mike Endres

David Aguilar

Diane Andrys

Joanne Arnason

Michelle Bachellor

Jackie Bujnovsky

Tim Bushy

Tim Coleman

Rory Cunningham

Denise Dargon

Duane DeGagne

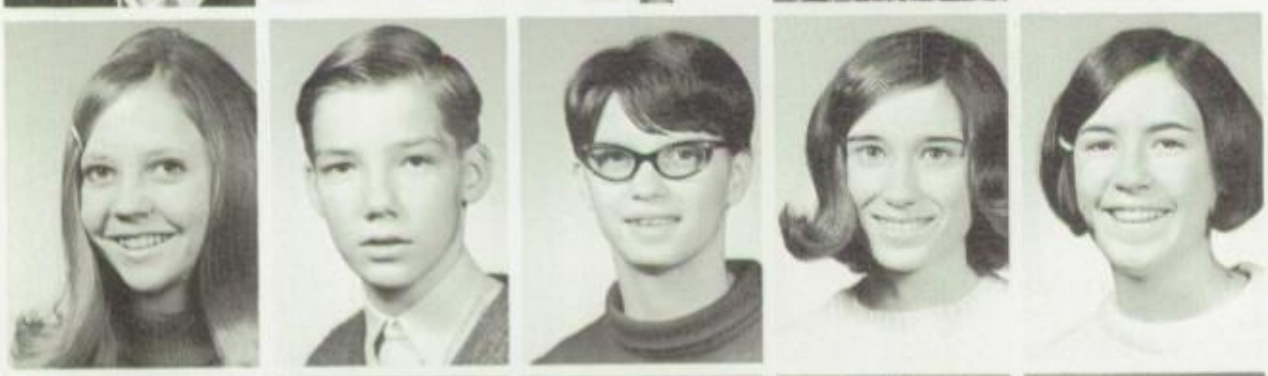
Pat Endres
Sandy Fearing
Marcia Feltman
Mike Gamache
Tom Gilmour

Tom Glimsdahl
Doug Grinde
Mary Hart
Jeff Hauser
Bob Herdigan

Geary Hiney
Patricia Horski
Colleen Houlihan
Irene Hutton
Patty Keogh

Jan Kobetsky
John Kosanda
Terry J. Kuntz
Terry M. Kuntz
Debbie Kvasager

Dave Lamb
Pam Laney
Frank LeBlanc
Lisa LeBlanc
Mary Lepinski

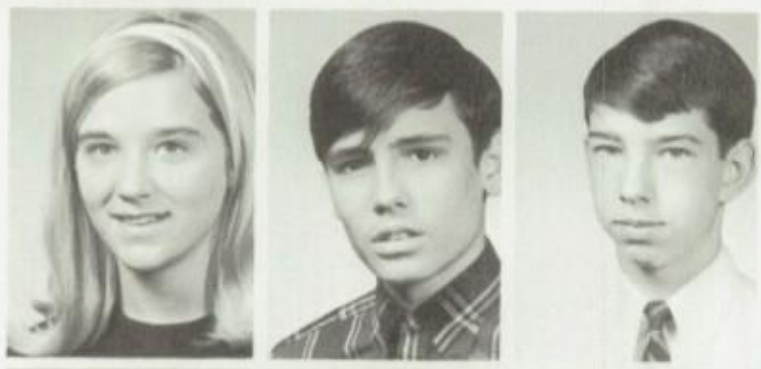


Robin Lukkason
Tim Lund
Debbie Lykken
Patty Maus
Elizabeth McDonald

Greg McDonald
Kathy Meagher
Judee Mellum
Edward Micka
Marie Miller

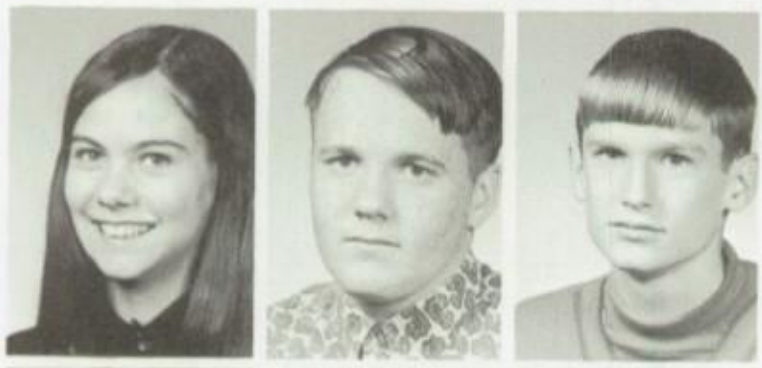
Peggy Miller
Bob Miller
Margaret Mynster

Nancy Montgomery
John Mouser
Jerry Murray



Janis Nikle
Denise Novacek
Leo Obregon

Mary Ohlsen
John Olson
Kevin O'Neil



Maureen O'Reilly
Debra Pais
Jackie Painter

Tony Palmiscno
Art Passa
Gayle Passa

Gail Prochaska
Mike Quirk
Cathy Raub

The Sophomore Homecoming attendant for 1968 was Michelle Bachellor.

Marcia Reiwaldt
Maureen Roche

Joanne Ryan
Dan Samson

Jane Sauer
Bill Schmisek

George Srur
Gayle Stoltman

The Sophomore class advisors, Sister Miriam Clare and Sister Ann, look at some of the posters Gloria Weisgram made for the Sophomore wall at the Central game.

Not pictured:
Tim Bushaw
Randy Hansen
Mary Jo McKinnon
Dennis Ryan

Greg McDonald and Tim Busby applaud as they bring the Sophomores' winning float onto the floor.

Raymond
Frohlich

Dan
Storey

Sandra
Thomson

Judy
Wasylow

Gloria
Weisgram

Tom
Whalen

Jodie
Zogg

# FRESHMEN

The Freshman Class officers for 1968-69 are LEFT TO RIGHT: Margo Youngern, secretary; Brendan Kuklok, president; Nancy Robinson, treasurer; and Mark Bohlman, vice-president.

Tim Cockrum
John Colter
Sherry Cooper
Shelly Corbett
Cheryl Coss
Dave Dorsher

Roger Allard

Tom Ballou

Virginia Birkholz

Curtis Block

Mark Bohlman

Brenda Bosch

Bob Buckley

Bonnie Bujnovsky

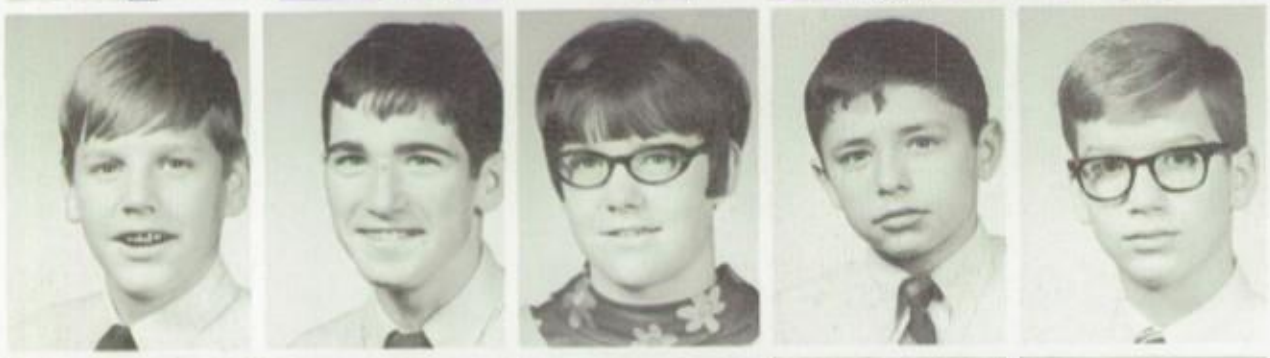
John Bulger

Mary Beth Bushaw

Joan Dorsher
Phil Ermer
Marilyn Evers
Tim Ewals
Jane Freeman

Mike Glimsdahl
Treacy Hagan
Cathy Holweger
James Horski
Ralph Hutton

Greg Kalenze
Mike Kearns
Tim Kilgore
Judy Knaus
Linda Kohl



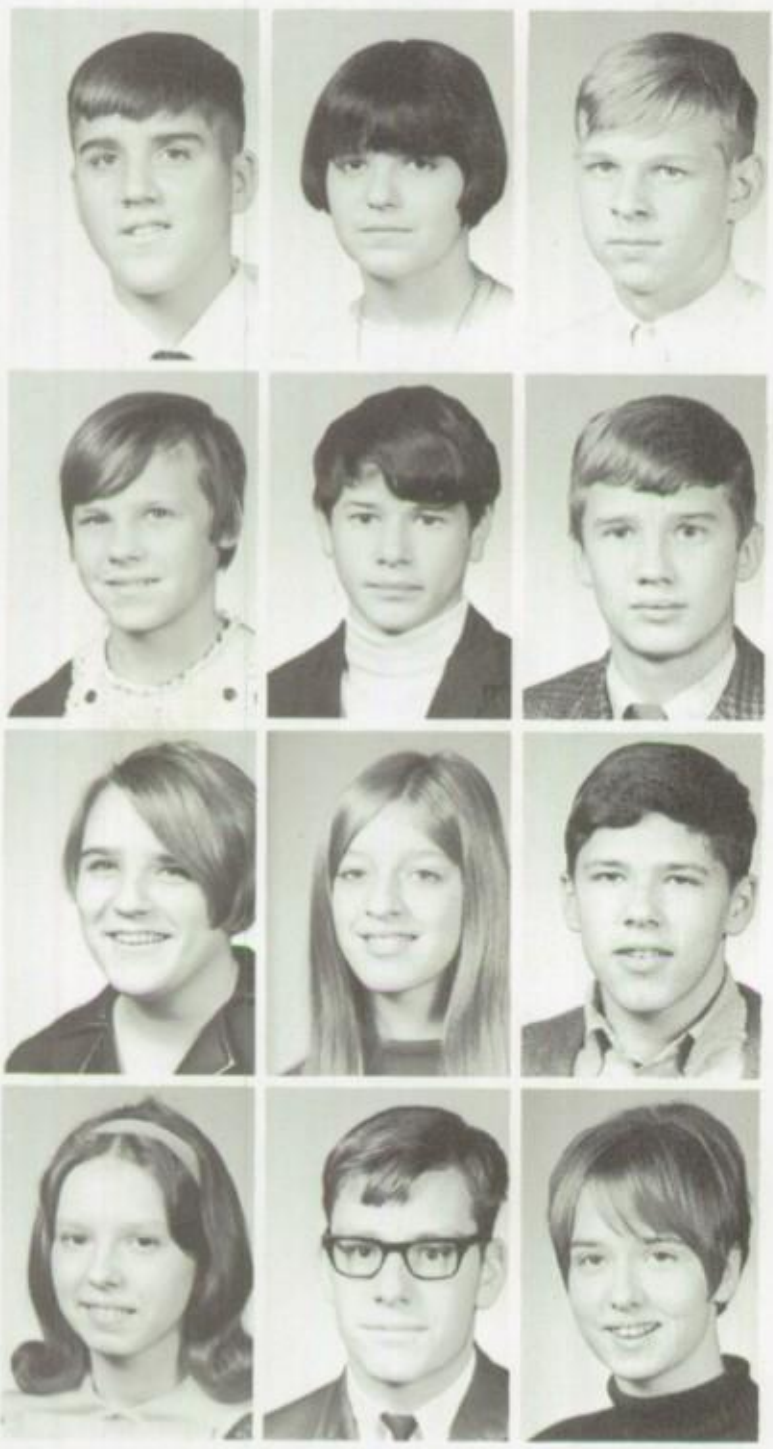
Dave Kratochvil
Brendan Kuklok
Debbie Kuzel
Tom LaBonte
Timothy Lamb

Debra Laney
Jane Lyons
Dennis MacLeod
Debbie McLean
Cathy Marynik

Duane Meagher
Nancy Meyer
Bob Miller
Shirley Mozinski
Mary Mulligan

Joel Nikle
Margaret Nefs
Mary Nefs
Mary Pat O'Halloran
Cora Len Olmstead

The freshman class advisors, Sister Susan and Sister Frances, plan a class meeting with Student Council Representative, Bob Miller.



Tom Olson

Karen Pais

Bob Parkos

Margaret Peterson

Francis Phelps

John Pladson

Karen Plattes

Ruth Pokrzywinski

John Porterfield

Andrea Postasky

Bradley Pratt

Lorraine Reinhart

Nancy Robinson

Gary Rogalla

Mike Rougs

Margaret Saumur

Patty Schafer

Jerry Schmisek

Patty Schue

Richard Senger

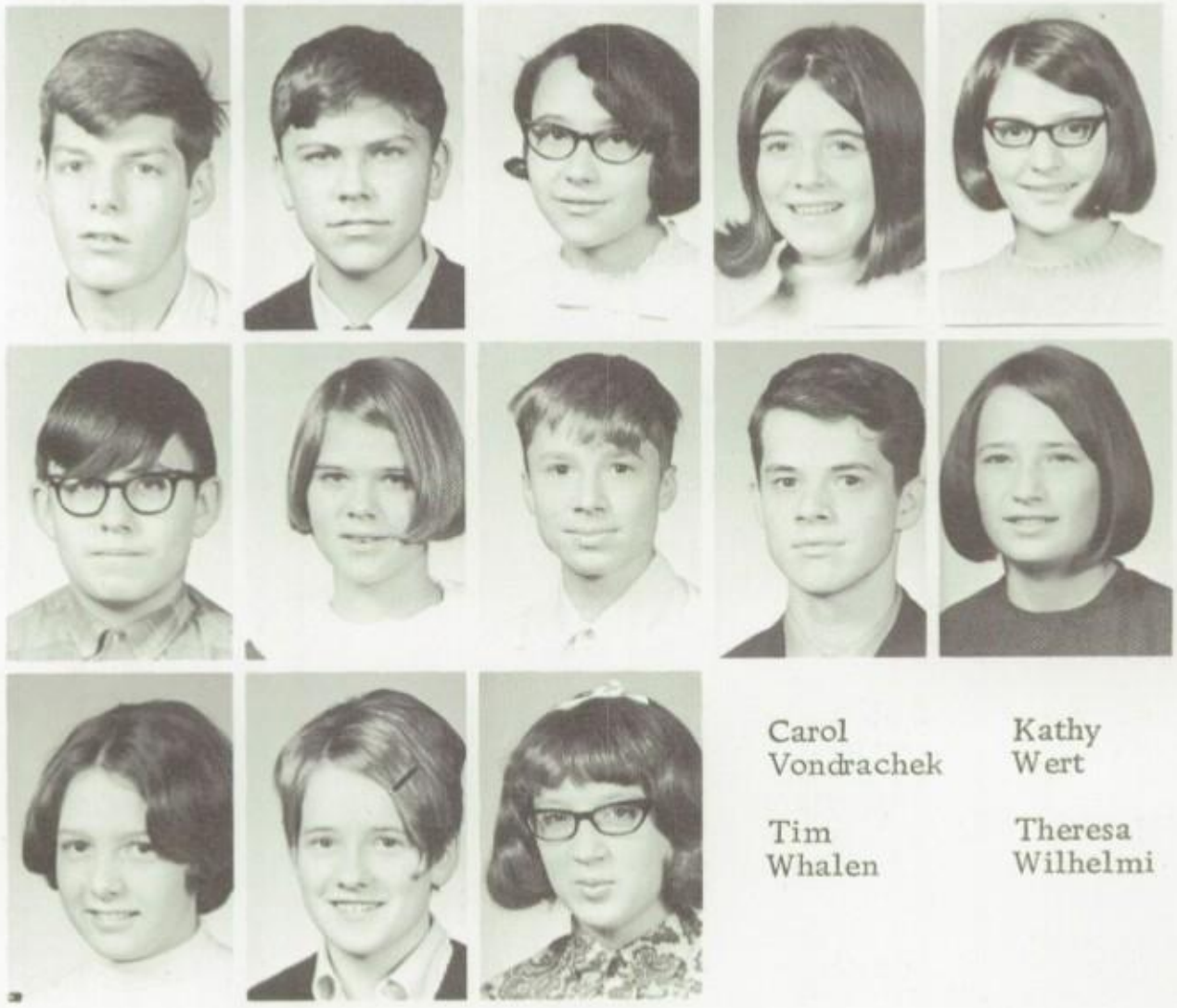
Robin Senger

Don Severinson

Rodney Spies

Shelly Stene

Brad Pratt leads Mark Bohlman, Jane Lyons, Cora Len Olmstead, Joan Dorsher and Sherry Cooper in a merry round of "Old Man Royal" for Freshman initiation at the homecoming pep rally.



Carol Vondrachek

Kathy Wert

Tim Whalen

Theresa Wilhelmi

Ron Swangler

Bradley Tupa

Debbie Vondal

Ken Weslowski

Jill Weisgram

Dan Whalen

Barb Wynne

Margo Youngern

Debby Zejdlik

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Brown's Barber Shop
Charlies Bakery
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Grand Forks Floral
Grossman's
Herberger's
Ireland's Lumber Co.
Lystad's
Maves Optical
Norman Funeral Home

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